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WILL HURL POWER OF INTERESTS AND OF TAFT AGAINST LA FOLLETTE

PRESIDENT WILL STUMP WISCONSIN

Dispatches from Washington Today Indicate All the Power of Protected Wealth Is Called

WOULD CRUSH REBEL LEADER

Wisconsin Senator who Has Dared to Expose Administration will Feel the Money Power

PROGRESSIVES EXPECTED IT

Say Tafters will Disburse from Chicago to Avoid Corrupt Practices Law Here

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—Powerful opposition, aroused to renewed activity by Senator La Follette's speech on the railroad bill this week has begun a definite campaign to defeat him for renomination in the Wisconsin primaries on Sept. 2.

La Follette's friends are confident that he will be a big fight. He will have to battle the opposing faction of the republicans, the protected interests, railroads, the wealthy money power and the Taft administration. All these will "try to put the rollers under him."

La Follette has been denied by the patronage usually allotted to republican senators. Federal offices in Wisconsin have been filled with men proposed by opponents.

It is reported that President Taft will make speeches in the state in August which will bring his influence into the campaign only a short time before the primary election.

There is an intimation also that if La Follette wins the nomination at the primary an effort may be made to beat him in the legislature.

People With La Follette
La Follette's opponent is S. A. Cook, a rich paper manufacturer, living at Neenah. He has served in congress, aspired to the governorship in 1904 and on three occasions has been a candidate for United States senator. Two years ago he was second in the primary to Isaac Thompson.

"If there is anything in the majority rule," said a La Follette leader who was in the city today, "the senator has the enemy beaten. We outnumber the stalwarts by a large majority."

There are five republican candidates for the nomination for governor. La Follette has not declared his choice among them.

Some of the band of insurgent congressmen will have opposition but they are well satisfied with the outlook. Wisconsin being solidly republican the democrats have not been in a hurry to make up their campaign plans.

That La Follette leaders in Wisconsin have expected that the Taft-Aldrich-Cannon organization would go to the bitter extreme to defeat La Follette at the coming primaries in Wisconsin was shown by the announcement which appeared in the Tribune last month, charging that the "stand patters" would conduct their war against "Bob" under the guidance of the Taft organization, from Chicago, for the purpose of avoiding the Wisconsin corrupt practices act which compels filing of campaign expense accounts. The progressives charge that the "protected money power" intends flooding the state with such an enormous amount of campaign money, that they dare not disburse it in Wisconsin where they would be compelled by law to give an accounting.

TOBACCO FAILED TO REACH MARKET

COVINGTON, Ky., April 15.—The trial of the government's suit against Rev. J. S. Sears and 11 other Grant county farmers, charged with conspiracy in restraint of trade by preventing the shipment of leaf tobacco from Dry Ridge, Ky., to Cincinnati, has consisted mainly of depositions by the defendants. The suit was overruled today by Federal Judge Cochran.

The Towers and Richard Bryant, negro tobacco growers, today testified that they saw four hogheads of tobacco, in which they had an interest, on its way to the depot at Dry Ridge. They said it never reached the market.

BALLINGER'S OWN LAWYER A WITNESS

Admits Connection when He Is Closely Questioned by Attorneys for Prosecution

GARFIELD PLAN WAS KILLED

Testimony Shows System by which Settlers Worked Out Indebtedness was Cancelled

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—Attorney Brandeis, representing L. R. Glavis, believed he made a strong point this afternoon when he forced the admission from E. C. Finney, assistant to the secretary of the interior, that certain evidence which was in the department was not sent to the president when Secretary Ballinger submitted his report on the Cunningham coal land claims.

Finney was under cross examination at the Ballinger "trial" before the congressional committee. He said when Ballinger filed his answer there were letters in the files showing Glavis was taking up the Cunningham cases with the Seattle district attorney.

"This evidence was not presented to the president, was it?" asked Brandeis.

"No," replied Finney.

"Why wasn't it?"

"I don't know," said the witness.

Brandeis asked if this evidence would have disproved the statement of Attorney General Wickersham that "Glavis habitually procrastinated."

Finney was unable to say. He added that this evidence was probably not sent to the attorney general.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—E. C. Finney, assistant to the secretary of the interior, testified at the Ballinger investigation today regarding the Tahoe Nevada-California contracts whereby the reclamation service sought to acquire additional water for the Truckee-Carson project. Finney declared that Secretary Ballinger had never written a contract in the Lake Tahoe matter and put the whole matter up to the reclamation service. Criticism was leveled at Ballinger because it was alleged the government would have surrendered valuable water rights.

The forest service protested against the terms of the contract and the matter has since been suspended. The witness then described the preparation of the decision in the interior department terminating the Garfield co-operative certificate plan in connection with reclamation projects, permitting settlers to work out part of their indebtedness.

Finney declared that, after the department had secured an option by the attorney general which abrogated this plan, Director Newell of the reclamation service protested and, on his statement of facts, the matter was re-submitted to the attorney general, who again decided that the co-operative plan was illegal.

Is Ballinger Counsel
On cross examination by Attorney Brandeis, Finney admitted that, in addition to his numerous other duties, he was serving as assistant counsel for Ballinger in the present investigation. He said he was familiar with the entire evidence in the case.

SMOOT BILL A NEW MONEY POWER GRANT

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—A bitter attack on the Smoot bill granting to the states all water power sites under federal ownership is embraced in a bulletin issued today by the National Conservation association, of which Gifford Pinchot is president.

Included in the bulletin are attacks on the water site bills introduced by Senator Carter of Montana, Representative Smith of California, and Representative Englebright of California.

"The Smoot bill would give to the big water power interests precisely what they want and sought in vain from the last congress and administration—absolute immunity from all effective federal regulation and control," says the attack. "It would put the user of water power completely in the hands of these big power interests."

MARK TWAIN BETTER

REDDING, Conn., April 16.—Samuel M. Clemens (Mark Twain) passed a comfortable night and slept soundly. All are greatly encouraged over his improvement.

FOUR TYPES OF AMERICAN YOUTH AND BEAUTY



Upper left—Miss Carrie Cline. Upper right—Mrs. H. F. White. Lower left—Miss Alma Myers. Lower right—Mrs. Herbert Sparrow.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—In society circles at the national capital these four young ladies share the distinction of being among the most beautiful types of American womanhood. Miss Carrie Cline is the daughter of United States Congressman Cline of Indiana. Mrs. H. F. White, daughter of Postmaster Garfield of Washington, one of the spring brides, is now away on her honeymoon. Her

marriage to Mr. H. F. White of Cambridge Springs, Pa., was solemnized last week. For a number of years she has been the reigning beauty of Washington society.

Miss Alma Myers has been receiving much attention during the past winter and early spring months. She is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Needham of California. Mrs. Herbert Sparrow, wife of Lieutenant Spar-

row, will be lost to Washington society a large part of the next three years. Lieutenant Sparrow has been ordered away on sea duty and his beautiful young wife has arranged to meet him at different points over the world.

Four more charming types of American beauty would be hard to find in the entire United States.

"SYSTEM" LEADER MAY QUIT SENATE

Aldrich Refuses to Affirm or Deny, but Health Is Expected to Cause Retirement

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—Renewal of the rumor that Senator Nelson W. Aldrich will retire at the end of his present term, March 4 next, attracted interest here today. Aldrich is at home and those acquainted with the senator's intentions stated that the matter was "too delicate to discuss."

When the report was first published about a year ago, Senator Aldrich denied it. He said then he was exceedingly anxious before he retired from public life to complete the work of re-organizing the monetary system of the country. It is now suggested that too close application to his work undermined his health and that he will have to relinquish most of his duties in the senate very soon.

Refuses to Talk

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 15.—Nelson W. Aldrich, who is reported as having decided to retire to private life March 4, today flatly refused at his home here either to confirm or deny the statement. He would only say: "I don't care to make any statement on that matter at all."

Is This a "Four-Fush?"

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—The voluntary retirement of United States Senator Aldrich from public life at the expiration of his present term next March will depend on conditions that develop hereafter. If the senate insurgents seek to drive him from power or his opponents in Rhode Island try to prevent his reelection he will find to the last ditch. Otherwise he will quietly relinquish his place.

This is the statement of Senator Aldrich's closest friends here.

Aldrich will not retire because of ill health. He is in splendid physical condition although occasional attacks of grippe make him dissatisfied and impatient. It is said he has frequently discussed the question of retiring.

FEW LISTEN TO BURTON'S ATTACK

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—The pork barrel, otherwise known as the rivers and harbors bill, was further assailed in the senate today by Senator Burton (R., Ohio). The attendance was unusually thin.

GUNDS DONATE BIG FOUNTAIN TO CITY

Brick Paved Triangular Site and Handsome Drinking Place Is Deeded Today

This morning's mail brought to Mayor Ori J. Sorensen a warranty deed conveying from the Gund Brewing company to the city of La Crosse a triangular site, between the Mormon Coulee road, Green Bay and Ninth streets, upon which has been erected a monster iron fountain for horses, dogs and pedestrians. The gift is a valuable one and is accompanied by a letter from Henry Gund, stating that the company will keep the fountain supplied from the private artesian well at the brewery until such time as the city can supply the fountain with potable water. The triangle where the fountain is situated, and which is conveyed to the city this morning, has been brick paved by the brewery company and the gift is one highly appreciated by Mayor Sorensen and the aldermen to whom the communication is addressed.

"I will present the matter to the city council at its next meeting," said the mayor this morning, "for acceptance and we certainly appreciate the generosity of Mr. Gund in making this gift to the city. I hope this time is not far distant when the city will be able to furnish drinkable water of its own for this fountain. The fountain is a large affair where many teams can be watered simultaneously, as it is circular. There is a place where dogs may drink, and also places for pedestrians to quench their thirst."

TEACHERS HOLD MEETING TODAY

The La Crosse County Teachers' Institute was held today at the Onalaska farm school, an interesting program being carried out in which the following spoke: Prof. J. O. Engleman, Miss Lottie Deneen, Prof. A. A. Johnson, A. H. Stanford and B. F. Olman.

GAMES POSTPONED

American at Chicago—Chicago-St. Louis game postponed, rain. National at St. Louis—St. Louis-Pittsburg game postponed, rain.

SEIDEL PLEDGES HIS HONOR, TOO

Socialist Mayor of Milwaukee Begins Ousting of Trusties of Old Regime

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 16.—Mayor-elect Seidel has started out to do things differently. The first chance he had to act officially, that is, when he took the oath of office, he declined to follow the practice prevailing so long that the memory of man runneth not to the contrary. The mayor-elect changed the oath to be sworn to by all city officials.

After he had sworn to support the constitution of the state and the United States "to the best of my ability so help me God," he added these words, in his own handwriting: "And I hereby pledge my word of honor so to do."

Health Commissioner Gerhard A. Bading will not be re-appointed by the social democrats. His term of office expires next Tuesday.

Some one will be selected to take charge of the department until the administration finds a suitable person for the commissionership.

The board of public works will be abolished and the one-commissioner plan will be adopted as soon as the administration can find the right person for the place—regardless of what may be required to secure his services.

ROCKEFELLER FAILS TO DESTROY TOWN

ALBANY, N. Y., April 16.—"If there were a desire to drive out these people from their homes it would be difficult to conceive a more effective plan to that end than to discontinue their station," today ruled Chairman Stevens of the public service commission in refusing to allow the abandonment of the railroad station of the New York and Ottawa railroad at Brandon, Franklin county, at the request of Wm. Rockefeller.

Rockefeller thus loses a fight of years to drive the railroad off his vast preserves in the Adirondacks, and to clear away the village of Brandon in the very heart of his estate.

Brandon, twenty years ago, was a village of considerable importance, with 1,200 inhabitants. Today it consists of four families with only twenty members, and Rockefeller wants them out of his estate.

FIGHT OF LA FOLLETTE BIGGEST EVER SEEN IN STATE MORRIS WARNS

TRACEY OUTLAW FOR TWO YEARS

President Elliott of Minny League Received Important Decision from Farrell Today

LA CROSSE CAN'T GET HIM

He Can Only Be Sold or Drafted by Fresno, Then \$500 Comes to Outcasts

Harry Tracey, former La Crosse first baseman, one of the best the Minny league had produced, and deserter from the Outcasts, is on the "black list" of organized baseball for a period of two years, according to a decision received today by League President John A. Elliott from Secretary Farrell of the national commission.

A few days ago Mr. Elliott received a telegram from Tracey, now at Fresno, Cal., asking that transportation be forwarded, so that he might return to play with La Crosse. Tracey is "sore" on the management of the Fresno club owing to a \$25 cut in his salary.

While Tracey was held in reserve by the La Crosse association, he deserted and went to Fresno while that club was an outlaw organization, at the meeting last fall at Memphis, of minor league officials, which was attended by President Elliott. Fresno was taken into the fold of organized ball. However, a stipulation was adopted providing that players who had deserted and broken contracts with teams in the organization could play only with the Fresno club, unless sold or drafted. In this case the sale money is to be divided between the Fresno and the club holding title to the deserting player. In the case of Tracey the sale or draft price is fixed at \$1,000, and in case of sale La Crosse gets \$500 of this sum.

Tracey became dissatisfied with the Fresno organization owing to the salary cut of \$25 inflicted and wanted to return to La Crosse, but before wiring transportation Mr. Elliott communicated with Secretary Farrell.

This morning a letter came from Mr. Farrell, in which he ruled that all deserting players are debarred from reinstatement for a period of two years, subject to the sale and draft arrangement with the California league, and that under this ruling Tracey could not play with any other team until his application for reinstatement had been approved by the national commission. Mr. Elliott says that according to this decision there is no hope of securing the return of Tracey for at least two years.

AGENT OF FOPE VISITS ROOSEVELT

LONDON, April 16.—A former member of an American blackhand society is under arrest at Genoa on suspicion of having designs on Col. Roosevelt, according to today's dispatches from that city. He was arrested near the Italian border while enroute to Venice.

VIENNA, April 16.—The Rev. Mgr. Pignatelli papal nuncio at Vienna, called on Colonel Roosevelt this afternoon in the apartment of Ambassador Kerens in the Hotel Bristol.

Neither Roosevelt nor the Mgr. Pignatelli would disclose the nature of the conversation between them but that it had something to do with the Roosevelt-vatican incident is certain.

It is reported that the nuncio visited Roosevelt at the suggestion of the pope who had several times expressed his regret over the breaking off of negotiations for Roosevelt to visit the vatican.

The colonel had just finished luncheon with Kerens and a company of distinguished guests when the nuncio was announced.

LICENSES COMPANY BUT CRITICISES IT

MADISON, Wis., April 16.—(Special.)—Insurance Commissioner Beidle today issued a license to the Old Line Life Insurance company of Milwaukee, but in a letter to Secretary John E. Reilly of the company sharply criticized and condemned the manner in which the company was promoted because of the excessive amount paid to the promoters. It cost approximately 25 per cent of the capital stock to organize it.

LOCAL SENATOR OPENS CAMPAIGN

Capacity Crowd at Superior Last Night Hears First Warning of La Follette

SYSTEMS' EXPERTS ARE HERE

Already Highly Paid Men Are Swarming Wisconsin in Effort to Find Weak Spot

SUPERIOR, Wis., April 16.—(Special.)—State Senator Thomas Morris of La Crosse last night opened the La Follette campaign for return to the U. S. senate in a rousing speech before a capacity audience at the Sons of Norway hall here. The audience was enthusiastic and repeatedly cheered mention of the name of the Wisconsin senator and his fight against the money powers which control the government and which are now seeking his ruin and defeat.

"We shall see this year such a political campaign in Wisconsin as was never seen before or never will be seen again," said Senator Morris. "Enemies of the insurgent movement have set out to defeat La Follette in this state."

Bob Would End Bossism

"Big business wants to know if La Follette can be beaten and if so how much money is needed. You ask why they want to defeat him. Because they see that with La Follette in Washington for six years more it would mean the end of their organization and control of the government."

"They realize that they cannot beat him in the primary so they will try it in the legislature. They will try to stir up dissension in districts and send anti-La Follette men to Madison."

Experts Swarm State

"Experts have been sent into this state," he said, "to ascertain the centers of least resistance, where are localities and individuals that are disgruntled. Every effort will be made to beat La Follette."

"The defeat of the Wisconsin senator is the common topic of conversation at Washington. It is talked about more than current legislation. The question is, can La Follette be beaten, and how much will it cost to do it? They know that they cannot hope to win in the primaries, so will devote their energy and money to electing a legislature that will serve their purpose."

Voters Must Instruct

"I warn you that there is danger of their succeeding in this, and you must see to it that your assemblymen and senators are pledged to vote for La Follette, so that they cannot possibly do anything else."

"The big business interests of the country realize that six years more of the senior senator would mean the end of their organization, and will spend vast sums to prevent him from going back to Washington for another term."

RECEIVE ONE BID FOR WATER WORKS

One bid was received by the board of public works this afternoon for laying water mains on La Crosse, between Fourteenth and Sixteenth streets, James A. Trane bid \$1,830, and the estimate was \$1,238. The bid will be referred to the council.

WEATHER AND WATER

Coldest in La Crosse, 36; warmest, 70; wind, 6 miles an hour; precipitation, 0. Forecast till 7 p. m. Sunday: For La Crosse and vicinity: Fair tonight and Sunday; colder to night with freezing temperature. For Wisconsin: Threatening and colder tonight with frost; Sunday fair. For Minnesota: Partly cloudy tonight with freezing temperature; Sunday fair. For Iowa: Partly cloudy tonight with freezing temperature; colder extreme east portion; Sunday fair. River Forecast: The river will continue to fall during the next 48 hours. Stage of water: Stage Change. St. Paul 4.9 Fall 0.2. Reed's Landing 3.3 0.0. La Crosse 4.6 Fall 0.2.

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WISCONSIN NEWS

STATE POLITICS NOW WARMING UP

Republicans and Democrats
Are Getting Ready for
the Coming Cam-
paign

MADISON, Wis., April 16.—Of chief interest in Wisconsin politics the past week has been the big democratic pow-wow at La Crosse Wednesday night, when the Jefferson club sponsored a reunion of the party headliners and painted rosette pictures of democratic success next fall. Second in importance was Lieut. Gov. John Strange's denunciation of the waterpower interests for what he terms their domination of the special committee of the legislature charged with the investigation of waterpowers.

The La Crosse speeches of Burr W. Jones, Madison, and other party leaders served to stimulate speculation on possible candidates for governor on the democratic ticket. Where the republicans so far have five announced candidates, and with rumors of still more to come, the democrats have only recently given the important subject attention. The most prominently mentioned on their side is Mr. Jones. Yet there is said to be only slight ground for mention of his name in this connection. To political friends he has said he will not run. His law practice is one of the largest in Wisconsin and his inclinations of recent years are known to have been averse to office-holding anyway.

Adolph J. Schmitz, a prominent Milwaukee attorney and well known German-American citizen, is again mentioned for the democratic nomination. Two years ago he was an aspirant for the honor, but it went to John A. Aylward instead. So far have Mr. Schmitz's desire for the nomination gone, it is declared, that his announcement to that end may be expected soon.

In Factions Also

One element in the party—that headed by John A. Aylward of Madison, candidate for governor the last two times, has been more or less friendly to La Follette all along, and Mr. Aylward has been tentatively regarded as the leader of the so-called progressive wing of the democratic party. Daniel H. Grady of Portage likewise is regarded as the leader of the "stalwart" wing. Grady recently came out in an interview attacking Senator La Follette, and Aylward defended the republican leader.

Opinion among the politicians inclines more and more to the probable retirement of Gov. J. O. Davidson from political life, at least for a few years. His close personal friends are unwilling to admit that this is due to his being "nosed" out by earlier candidates, but some significance is attached to the unusual stillness that invests his political doings or plans, if he has any.

Congressional Fights

There is much activity among candidates for congress and minor offices in the state government. Wallace Ingalls, Racine, assemblyman last term, is a candidate for congress against Congressman H. A. Cooper. Insurgent, Ingalls is a "stalwart." In the Second district Attorney General Gilbert is actively engaged in forming an organization against Congressman John M. Nelson. Mr. Gilbert recently made a tour through portions of the district to fix his fences. Mayor J. C. Schubert, Madison, is being favorably mentioned by the democrats as a congressional candidate. As usual for several years back, Henry C. Cochems is a candidate for congress in the Fifth district against Congressman Stafford, and Dr. G. E. Seamon is also being talked of. This is one of the Milwaukee districts.

E. F. Kileen of Wautoma is out for state senator against Senator Theodore W. Brazeeau of Grand Rapids, on a La Follette slate. J. F. Shaw, editor of the Ellsworth Record, is out against Assemblyman W. A.

Kay of Pierce county. A. M. Spencer of Appleton, an attorney, will oppose Congressman Kuestermann of ship subsidy fame, for congress. Senator "Tim" Burke of Green Bay is still thought of in the same connection. Assemblyman Platt Whitman of Highland will run for the same office again, instead of opposing Senator H. B. Martin for a seat in the upper house. Assemblyman John F. Hughes of Riceville will run for state senator against Senator Paul Hustung. Both are democrats.

MILWAUKEE CAR MEN GET A RAISE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 16.—In recognition of efforts made by motormen and conductors of the company to serve the public with care and courtesy and as an encouragement to put forth greater efforts to render efficient service, John I. Beggs, president and general manager of the Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light company, has announced a general increase in salary, averaging 2 cents an hour to the men, with the exception of those who have been receiving 25 cents an hour, where the increase will amount to 1 cent an hour.

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MAHMOUT CHALLENGES POLE

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 16.—Yussif Mahmout, the Bulgarian, today issued a challenge to Zbyszko, the Pole, to wrestle for \$1,000 a side. In his match with Fred Beell, of Wisconsin, at the Broadway Arsenal, last night the Turk secured two straight falls, both croch locks, the first in 56 minutes 9 seconds and the second in 26 minutes 35 seconds.

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MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

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Dynamite Placed Under the
Beds of Sleepers and
Explosion Kills
Three

NEGAUNEE, Mich., April 16.—Negaunee was the scene of a shocking tragedy by which three lives were wiped out. The victims were Frank Saarinen, his wife, and their 6 year old son.

They were blown to pieces with dynamite. A girl 4 years of age is the only surviving member of the family.

Saarinen himself did the killing. There were two beds in the house, the husband and son occupying one of them, and the wife and daughter the other.

Saarinen arose early and placed a stick of dynamite under each bed, then he lit the fuses and laid down again.

Saarinen and his wife and son were horribly mangled. The little girl was blown out of bed, but miraculously escaped injury. The house was wrecked.

Saarinen was a miner, 30 years of age. His wife was 24. She had come from Europe with the children only two weeks ago.

Saarinen is said to have suspected that she was unfaithful to him and this made him despondent, the triple tragedy being the result.

TORNADO VISITS SPRING VALLEY

VALLEY SPRING, Minn., April 16.—A tornado swept through the country near here yesterday and destroyed a couple of barns. No other damage is reported. The weather has been cool and did not appear likely to bring such a storm. It is probably the first tornado that has struck Southern Minnesota.

NORTHWEST BRIEFS

CASS LAKE, Minn.—Forest fires, raging near here, are somewhat under control. A heavy rain shower helped considerably.

RED WING, Minn.—Henry Maetzold, aged 53 years, a prominent Red Wing grocer, dropped dead on the street.

GRAND FORKS, N. D.—Grand Forks Elks formally opened their

beautiful new home in this city yesterday. The building represents an investment of about \$60,000 and is one of the finest lodge resorts in the state.

DEVILS LAKE, N. D.—James Broton, aged 18, will allow physicians to take from his body a quantity of blood to be injected into the veins of his invalid 8-year-old brother, Chester Broton, that the younger lad may live. At the same time the young lad is to have a leg amputated, it having been broken in an accident seven months ago.

DR. FARRAND JOINS WITH DR. C. M. CODY

Dr. C. H. Farrand, who has successfully practiced dentistry in this city for over sixteen years, has finally, in order to meet the demands of his large and rapidly growing practice, decided to call into it a partner, and for this purpose has selected Dr. C. M. Cody. Dr. Cody has been associated with Dr. Farrand for nearly two years. He enters the business highly recommended as a dentist and a gentleman. Dr. Cody is a college bred man, having received his preliminary training at Ripon college and the University of Michigan. He has had twenty-two years' of dental experience, graduating from the Northwestern university dental college, Chicago, class of '92. The doctor has always met with pleasing success in his chosen profession and particularly so since he associated himself with Dr. Farrand. Great success is predicted for the firm of Farrand & Cody, and both men are to be congratulated.

The efforts of some people trying to make both ends meet resemble a dog chasing his tail.

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THE BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD.

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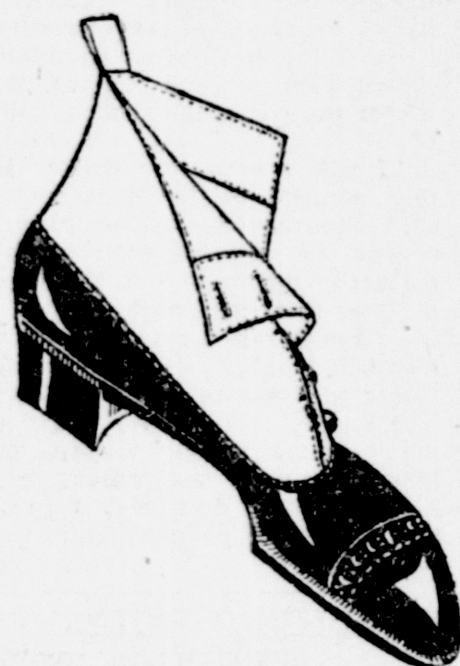
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HEALTH, NOT DRUGS

There is a movement on foot,
backed by hundreds of thousands of
people who have come to know that
the secret of health lies, not in drugs,
but in right living and prevention of
diseases, for the establishment of a
department of anthropology with the
following bureaus: health (right living),
physical culture, longevity,
food experimentation, eugenics and
child culture.

Friends of a bill to this end are
arguing that the bureau of health should
be in charge of an expert in Right
Living, a preventer of diseases, and
no account in charge of a doctor,
a curer of disease.

It does not seem logical that since
the government spends huge fortunes
in the cultivation of health in ani-
mals and in plants, that the human
plant—the king—should be left un-
cultivated. Those who have had ex-
perience in the scientific application
of physical culture, dietetics, the in-
fluence of mind over disease, and the
similar highly scientific methods
which are coming more and more
into general confidence and use to
the benefit of hundreds of thousands,
form a great army behind the efforts
of the few progressive health experts
to secure sane governmental aid in
working out these most important
problems. That the national health
is of the first importance of all con-
siderations does not seem to be dis-
puted, yet to this great subject is the
least attention paid.

Perhaps the leading exponent and
student of anthropology, and one who
has done more than any other in the
practical and successful application
of body culture through the science
of foods, sunshine and exercise, is
Eugene Christian, a New Yorker,
whose books upon dietetic subjects
are on the shelves of nearly all the
libraries in the country. In the ex-
periments of this scientist the chem-
istry of foods and the chemistry of
man—for after all the house of clay

is but a combination of chemical elements—has been carried to the stage of an exact science, by means of which, for instance, the effect of the varied human emotions upon the chemical elements of the body can be transferred with exactness to type-written manuscript. This science teaches the chemical combination we call our body is a living thing, ceaselessly changing, which needs to be constantly supplied with new building material, and that these materials are the chemical elements found in foods. The same science teaches that exercise and resultant deep breathing helps the process of transforming the foods into the chemical materials which are distributed by the blood to replace the used up body chemicals. And so successful have tests of this science been it can be safely said good health is certain to all who follow nature's way.

What a sane science this is, and how wonderful would be the result if the great organization and power of a governmental department were used to further its study and practice in developing the health of the race.

And why not give into the hands of one who has done perhaps more than any other for the practical and helpful application of the science the responsibility of its further extension and application? Why not "Eugene Christian, secretary of anthropology?"

MR. BRYAN ON MONEY

The man who has on three different occasions carried the banner of his party in National campaigns for political supremacy is entitled to respectful hearing on public questions and the people are always willing to listen to him. As a luminary, shining from afar, Mr. Bryan cannot reflect the brilliancy of the great ex-president but his reflections compete for public observation with the stellar comets that have shown recently in the heavens.

Mr. Bryan's letter, written at Brazil, to the banqueting democrats at Washington on Jefferson Day, is characteristic of his lucid style of oratory and offers some comments on public questions that will be read with interest by all classes of citizens of this great republic, except perhaps, the meat and other trusts.

When however, he says that "the art of government is the art of being honest" Mr. Bryan does not speak with his usual clearness of language. We have been accustomed to think of government as a science rather than an art, and of honesty as a principle.

But the one question which arouses most interest in the Nebraskan's letter is his return to the old song of silver. In his mind that is not a dead issue. He refers to President Taft's New York speech of Feb. 12, remarking that "Mr. Taft attributes the present high prices mainly to the increase in the production of gold, and the consequent enlargement of the volume of money. This unexpected indorsement of our party's proposition in 1898, when we demanded more money as the only remedy for falling prices, is very gratifying. How valuable that admission would have been to us if it had been made during the campaign of that year when the republican leaders were denying that the volume of money had any influence on prices, and asserting that it did not matter whether we had much money or little, provided it was all good."

Thus, Mr. Bryan congratulates himself and his party that his doctrine, as to increased volume of money, is now the doctrine of the republican president. But he does not show how increased prices of the necessities of life, caused by an increased volume of money, proves that such increase of money is a benefit to the masses of the people. Mr. Bryan takes this stand as a Jeffersonian democrat but we have never yet seen a statement of the great Jefferson, favoring the inflation of the prices of life's necessities as a justification of any favorite doctrine.

Neither does Mr. Bryan show us in what way the addition of another mineral value entering into equal competition with gold would be of any advantage in maintaining a fair market of prices of living commodities. It seems to many of us that the Nebraskan statesman has kept his eye so exclusively on silver, when considering the money question, that he has been unable to view it from the broader and more basic question of its character and mission.

Perhaps the most momentous and far reaching of all economic questions has yet to be expounded. It has never been shown that costly materials are essential as money. We have not been shown why we should buy gold and silver to convert into money and then use a costless substitute while we build great

vaults as tombs for the costly minerals. These are questions which such men as Mr. Bryan will be called to answer and the very statement of President Taft which Mr. Bryan quotes with so much satisfaction is leading that way.

SPOTLIGHTS

GREAT RACING COMEDY

By no means is "Wildfire," the great racing comedy which will be seen at the La Crosse theater Sunday, April 17, an unknown quantity, since it has been phenomenally successful in New York city, where it ran for one hundred nights at the Liberty theater, and was then withdrawn only because of prior contracts at other theaters. The play presents a unique representation of two phases of American life, that of the



Luella Morey will be seen in "Wildfire," La Crosse Theater, at bargain prices, tomorrow.

race track devotee and that of the rabid reformer totally ignorant of the subject attacked. The story is essentially a comedy, with laughter predominant, although there is a wealth of tense pathos in the theme itself, which is that of a beautiful woman compelled to face almost certain disaster and struggling alone against unequal odds. The central character is that of the handsome widow, Mrs. Barrington, portrayed with marked success by the magnetic comedienne, Miss Luella Morey. The large cast includes diminutive Gus Alexander in the famous role of Bud, the slangy stable boy. The original scenic production is carried.

THE NORSEMAN APRIL 27TH

Arthur Donaldson, the sweet singing comedian who has scored the most artistic triumph of his life in "The Norseman," has finally "come into his own." Mr. Donaldson has had a long and varied experience on both the American and European stage. He was born near the little village

of Norsholm, Sweden, and at the age of seven years made his first appearance at the Stove Theater in Noorloping, in a play called "Uncle Brown's Leather Couch." Finally the opportunity came in an engagement with the Duff Opera Company, then the best in existence. After this a concert tour with Ollie Jobbet, under the management of Major Pond; then with Emma Thursby, then in rapid succession of seasons with "Bob Roy," playing the title role; Baron De Grimm in "Madeleine," or the Magic Kiss, "the title role in "Brian Boru," then with Augustin Daly as principal baritone in that famous manager's musical organization. From that time on he has remained at the topmost round of his profession, creating the principal grand and comic operas. A notable success of Mr. Donaldson was originating the title role in "The Prince of Pilsen," both in this country and in Europe. In "The Norseman" Mr. Donaldson has finally secured a play and part in perfect accord with his artistic ability, and such being the case, the success already attained by him in his new venture insures its future beyond a shadow of doubt. "The Norseman" will be offered at the La Crosse theater Wednesday, April 27th.

NEW MAJESTIC BILL

Next week the Majestic theater patrons will have the opportunity to see the four foremost gymnasts, namely the Four Rio Brothers. They showed at Milwaukee this week and were the sensation of the theater which they opened at that city. The act will no doubt prove the favorite of the bill here during next week.

The Pekin trio, colored gentlemen of the southland, will present their singing and instrumental act which is one of merit. The act comes well recommended and will be received by the people of the city who fancy musical selections. The fascinating banjo played by a real dandy is a treat that is enjoyed by everyone and the colored man at the Majestic next week is a master of the instrument.

Murray K. Hill, monologist, has an act that is replete with good stories of the new kind and is an entertainer that the Sullivan & Considine circuit is proud to recommend. Mr. Hill is one of the highest paid men in vaudeville.

The farce of the new bill is Ethel Alton and company in the laughable travesty entitled "Birds of a Feather." It is a sketch which will bring tears of laughter to the eyes of the auditors and will be one of the bright spots on a bright program.

Doyle and Field, two clever comedians, will appear in a singing and talking act. They also dance some. The act is a comic one and should be a success during its week in this city.

In the meantime the extra added attractions this week are continuing to please the large audiences daily at the theater. The new bill will commence with the matinee performance Monday afternoon.

By Different Roads

A prominent New Hampshire farmer of the old type has two grown-up sons. One is a preacher of the gospel, while the other is a liquor dealer.

A New Yorker, in company with several other friends, was talking at the old man's home, about his family. At last one of the company present asked the old man what his sons did for a living.

The old man replied, "One is serving the Lord, and the other the Devil, and both are doing well."—Lippincott's.

A class of boys in composition were given the following sentence to punctuate, "Mary Ann wearing a new pair of shoes crossed the street and displayed a pretty ankle." The first boy said he would put a comma after Mary Ann and one after street. The second boy said he would put a comma after street and a period at the end. The third boy, after a little hesitation, said he would make a dash after Mary Ann.—Cosmopolitan.

Did you ever hear of a man who married a woman to reform her?

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

A Base Metal
A wondrous thing has come to pass!
The "orichalcum" known of old
They've rediscovered. Chemists class
This metal as a sort of brass
That looks like gold.

Old Socrates in Plato's page,
Or so by Oxford men I'm told,
Describes it as a former rage,
But non-existent in his age,
And no more sold.

Yet always, in a sense, alas!
Its place doth orichalcum hold—
I mean that moral stamp of brass
That artfully contrives to pass
For sterling gold.

—Truth.

As George Sees the Peers
"David Lloyd George," said the
miner from Wales, as he emptied his
glass of ewrw. "David is a very witty
speaker. I've heard him many a
time in Carnarvon."

"Speaking in Welsh, he once ridiculed in Carnarvon the House of
Lords. He said the average peer
thought so much of himself that at
family prayers he always made one
well known passage run:

"Surely goodness and mercy
shall follow me all the days of my
life, and I will dwell in the House of
Lords forever!"—London Globe.

The Retort Courteous
A young woman had fallen upon
the ice covered pavement, and a man
stepped forward to offer his services.

"Allow me—" he began, but his
feet slipped and he fell flat upon his
back.

"Certainly," responded the young
woman gravely.—Lippincott's.

Record for Strangeness

A Niagara Falls man tells this
story:
"A Buffalo man brought a relative
from Scotland here to see our
grand spectacle. The two gazed at
the fall in silence a long time. Then
the Buffalo man heaved a sigh and
said:

"Ah, Cousin Donald, did you ever
see anything so beautiful
and strange?"

"The Scotchman, after a moment's
thought, answered calmly:

"Weel, for bonnie yon's a richt;
but for strange, no—fur I once saw
in the Town o' Peebles a peacock wit'
a wooden leg."

Grievous

Wife (who is playing chess with
her husband)—Don't you know that
today is my birthday?

Husband (abstractedly)—Is it?
"Yes; aren't you going to give me
anything for a birthday present?"

"I had forgotten all about it. Cer-
tainly, I'll give you something, my
dear, I'll let you take a pawn."—Tit-
Bits.

A Horse on Sunday

Mrs. McTavish (to husband, who
is off to the fair to purchase a
horse).—How much are ye going
to give for him, Donal?

Mr. McTavish—Och; about 30
shillin'.

Mrs. McTavish—Weel, here's an-
ither twa shillin'. You might as weel
get a guid one!—London Opinion.

Literature

"I have read this poem over a doz-
en times," said the assistant editor
of the Highbrow Magazine, "and I
can't make head or tail of it."

"Good!" exclaimed the editor.
"We'll hit it up for a feature, to-
gether with an announcement deny-
ing that true poetry is dead. And
don't forget to send a check for
\$1.25 to the fellow who wrote it."—
Lippincott's.

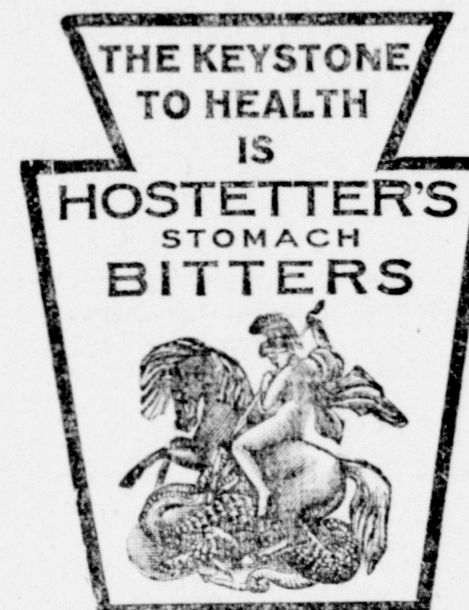
Have You Seen the Picture

A Barnegat schoolma'am had been
telling her pupils something about
George Washington and finally she
asked:

"Can anyone now tell me which
Washington was—a great general or
a great admiral?"

The small son of a fisherman raised
his hand, and she signaled him to
speak.

"He was a great general," said
the boy. "I seen a picture of him
crossing the Delaware, and no great
admiral would put out from shore
standing up in a skiff."—Every-
body's Magazine.



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VIRGINIA OF THE AIR LANES.

BY HERBERT QUICK
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Below floated the half-collapsed and sinking go-devil of a submarine. Beside it lay a great blotch of darkness so symmetrical that Theodore was impressed with the sudden idea that it was a submarine rather than a patch of dark sand. A man on the derelict was struggling, shouting, and waving a white cloth as if in distress. If he could not swim, he was doomed. Theodore's eyes flashed. Here was a test of the Virginia for which he had laid no plans, and he welcomed it. He reversed the thrust of the wing propellers; and in an instant they were fighting the air with all the power of the mighty engines. The passengers felt their bodies sway forward with the momentum, as the Virginia slowed up, halted and moved astern; and as accurately as if he had had years of practice, Carson brought her to, over the struggling man, and lowered her slowly, slowly, toward the swells which rose to meet her, until a line thrown over by Carson dabbled in the water by the castaway's side.

"Can you climb up?" cried Theodore. "I don't dare come much lower."

"For Christ's sake," called the man, "bring her down a foot or so! I'm too weak to climb!"

"Cheer up!" called Theodore. "It is risky, but I'll try."

The man, who looked downward from weakness, or as if to conceal his features, was apparently in great distress, and in terror from the fact that his collapsible skiff was half deflated, as if by the bursting of her air-chambers. If he was to be saved there was no time to be lost; so thought Carson as he depressed the Virginia more and more, holding her stationary by a slight windward thrust of the wing-blades. Like a swimmer who meets the current by a down-stream kick, a feat quite beyond the power of any other airship; and speaking to the man in the water, as well as to him in the air, the triumphant success of the new machine. Winzer set his teeth in a fierce determination to put both the man and the ship out of the field at once. The thing became immense to him, swelling, as the astounding behavior of the Virginia grew upon him. He was the sole custodian of the secret of her construction, save for Carson. If he could drown her, and master the secret of the glass globe, he could rebuild her, make his terms with Shayne, be the greatest in his line.

The lower works of the air-ship descended almost to his head, and Winzer, glancing upward, saw Virginia looking down and singing out their aerial "soundings" to Carson. The well lifted Winzer as the Virginia sank to her lowest, and he seized the nacelle with fierce energy, drew himself up into the truss-work, threaded a steel chain

through an opening in the structure, and dropped back into the water holding the chain in his hand. It ran around the aluminum beam with a sharp, rasping, startling rattle.

"He's fallen in!" cried Virginia. "He climbed up under, and fell off! Oh, he'll drown, he'll drown!"

Theodore looked over the side. A small double chain ran down from the air-ship, its ends moving about in a most mystifying manner in the sea. And as he looked in astonishment, the dark blotch of sand rose to the surface, and defined itself as the rounded top of the Stickleback, on the black hull of which sat Winzer, blowing brine from his mouth, his head shining with water. The manhole opened, Winzer snapped the chain into a ring, slipped into the submarine, and reappeared with something small and flat in his hand.

"I'll fix you, you damned whelp!" he yelled. "I'll show you what it means to choke me! Take that!"

He aimed at Carson, fired, and the bullet sang away into the sky. Theodore seized Virginia in his arms and drew her down into the bottom of the car, where they lay panting in each other's arms, panic-stricken. "I must put the ship out of range!" cried Carson, leaping to the lever, and throwing on full speed upward and ahead.

She rose like a feather—for just a moment, and then she swung about like a kite with its string fouled, anchored by some devilish contrivance, of the nature of which the bewildered Carson could not guess. He stepped to the side again and looked over. The Virginia hung some thirty yards above the water, and straining backward and downward ran the steel chain looped through her works and fastened by both ends to the submarine. The harsh raucous laugh of Winzer rose with horrid significance from the Stickleback's manhole, which was again above water and open.

(To be Continued)

Didn't Blow the Flute
The flutist had the flu quite bad,
The unfortunate galoot!
So he could not toot himself
He sent a sub-toot.

—Boston Transcript.

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St. Peters Church
Regular services.
Norwegian-Danish M. E. Church
Norwegian-Danish M. E. church, Berlin and Hill streets, I. T. Slaate, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Service only in the morning, 10:30 and on the South side in the evening. All are welcome.

Norwegian Lutheran Church
Corner Charles and Hill streets. Rev. E. O. Vik, pastor. English services Sunday morning, 10:30. Services Sunday evening, 7:45. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

North Presbyterian
Corner Logan and Avon streets. Sermon at 10:30 a. m. Evening service at 7:45.

Norwegian Bethel
Rev. O. L. Christianson, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Services 10:30 a. m. and in evening at 7:45.

German Lutheran Church
The Immanuel German Lutheran church. Services at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 11:15. Evening service, English, 8 p. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church
Trinity Lutheran church on Avon street, Rev. L. S. Marvick, pastor. No services next Sunday. Sunday school at 9 a. m. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet next Tuesday afternoon in the church parlors. On Tuesday evening Mr. Carl Rund will entertain the Young People's Society at the same place.

Caledonia St. M. E. Church
Caledonia Street M. E. church, Rev. A. V. Ingham, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30, subject "The Communion of Saints." Evening worship, 7:30, subject "Halley's Comet." Class meeting at 9:30. Sabbath school at noon. Epworth League at 6:30. Teachers' meeting, Monday, 7:30. Midweek prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30.

Scandinavian Baptist Church
Corner Charles and Logan streets. Services every Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday school from 12 to 1:00. B. Y. P. U., 6:30. Evening service, 7:30. Weekly prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

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The Great Northern and Northern Pacific are planning for cutoffs which will materially shorten their lines to the coast, and the Canadian Pacific and Soo do not propose to be left behind. The Canadian Pacific road for 1,000 miles east of Winnipeg runs through some of the roughest country in the world, with many heavy grades and numerous long detours in the wild country north of Lake Superior. Half a dozen miles are traversed in many places to take the train one mile nearer their goal.

It is expected that the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound road will better its running time by several new cutoffs which they are planning in the west. A distance of 250 miles means about 5 hours of traveling time to the road at a fast clip and the road operating on the faster schedule will be able to successfully bid for the greatest part of the passenger traffic and also for mail contracts.

THREE DIVORCES GRANTED TODAY

Judge Higbee Is Kept Busy Untying Knots in the Circuit Court This Morning

The morning session of the circuit court today was devoted to granting divorces and Judge E. C. Higbee granted three decrees, after listening to the testimony in the cases in each of which desertion was the grounds. In the case of Leroy Sweet against Mary Sweet, the testimony was to the effect that the defendant left her husband and little three-year-old child and refused to return.

The other cases were those of Josephine Kieselbach against Paul C. Kieselbach and Agnes C. Potter against Elmer F. Potter, both of which were granted.

The court adjourned until April 23 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

RAILROAD BILL IS HELD FOR BASEBALL

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—"It's all President Taft's fault." This was the excuse offered by leading senators today for the side-tracking of the administration railroad bill in the upper branch of congress Thursday. It was explained that the senate was quite willing to stay on the job, but information came indirectly from the White house that President Taft's "grandmother was ill" and that he expected to play hooky for the afternoon. As the senate has great respect for the president, the members saw no reason why they should not follow his example and attend the ball game.

Members of both houses who are interested in private bills are carefully studying the American league schedule and noting the dates, when the Washington team plays at home, in hope that they may be able to "put a few over the plate" while their colleagues are out warming the "bleachers."

OPENS COURT IN VIROQUA MONDAY

Judge E. C. Higbee and Court Reporter Alfred Harrison will leave Monday morning for Viroqua, where the regular term of court will be opened. For the first time in twenty years the term of court in Vernon county will be held in April instead of in June. The calendar contains only a few cases and the term will be very brief.

JAP SUBMARINE FAILS TO RISE

TOKIO, April 16.—Lieutenant Sakuma and twelve members of the crew of submarine boat No. 61 are believed to have perished off Prishima, when the boat failed to come to the surface after a dive, according to advices received here today.

Even the fellow who has been tarred and feathered may feel stuck up about it.

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EMERSON LEAVES ON EASTERN TRIP

Former Yardmaster of the Milwaukee Road Is Tendered Reception by K. of P. Lodge

J. A. Emerson, who resigned the position of yardmaster at the Milwaukee north side station in this city last month, left this morning on passenger train No. 8 for the east. His first stop will be at Baraboo, Wis., where he will visit for a time. He will then continue his way east and will spend the greater part of his time in Vermont and New Hampshire.

The Knights of Pythias lodge of which Mr. Emerson is a member held a farewell party for him last night at the club rooms.

At the station this morning many of his friends of the railroad world bade him an affectionate farewell.

NEW CUBAN MINISTER.



F. CARRERA JUSTIZ

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The new representative from Cuba, who succeeds General Valez, is F. Carrera Justiz. He has just arrived to take up his official life in the diplomatic circle.

The new minister is one of the strong leaders in Cuba, clear thinker and a man who has made good in every department of public life in which he has been placed.

SPECIAL MUSIC SUNDAY

There will be special music tomorrow at the West Avenue M. E. church. The male quartette will sing "It is the Lord's Own Day," and the mixed quartette will render "Sabbath Rest," by Emerson.

NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

The individual tournament at the Combination alleys is progressing nicely most of the bowlers having rolled several of their games.

Ed. Wheeler who has been trout fishing in the vicinity of Tunnel City returned this morning with a good catch.

Harry Marteau returned yesterday from a trout fishing trip with a string of the speckled beauties.

John Voves rolled high score at the Combination last night in the individual tournament getting a total of 245.

Snow was seen falling in scant quantities on the North side this morning.

J. E. Emerson, former yard master of the Milwaukee road at the North side left this morning on his trip east. He will stop first at Baraboo.

Mayor O. J. Sorensen will go to Milwaukee tomorrow to attend the Masonic consistory, and will be gone several days.

Mrs. C. A. Kellman and daughter of Galesville are in the city today.

C. F. Soper of Minneapolis, Minn., was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. B. Harroldson, 1343 Berlin street, is confined to her home by illness.

The Ladies of St. Peter's Episcopal church will hold a bazaar and supper in the church basement Wednesday evening.

Miss Serena Jensen, 1347 George street, who was operated upon at one of the local hospitals for appendicitis, has been removed to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Pilger, 1823 Wood street, have gone to Winona, Minn., to spend a few days with friends.

Nic Huss and sons, 1906 Wood street, are visiting relatives and friends in Chicago for a few days.

Harold Gibson, who recently underwent an operation at the Lutheran hospital for appendicitis, is reported to be improving.

George McKeith, 1229 Kane street, is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. John Haugh, of New Albin, Iowa, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Schultz, 1316 Avon street.

LA CROSSE GIRL A POSTMISTRESS

Mrs. Evans, a resident of West La Crosse this morning received the announcement that her daughter, Miss Cloie W. Evans, formerly of this city, has been appointed postmistress at Williams, Mont., near Valier, where the large Cargill-Withee irrigation project is located. The appointment was secured largely by W. W. Withee of this city through the influence of Hon. Chas. M. Cray, congressman from that district of Montana. Miss Evans will be remembered here as having been employed with the Pacific Electric company.

MRS. PETERSON DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

After an illness extending over the past four years, Mrs. Gilbert Peterson, 1311 Winnebago street, died at 6:30 this morning, of bronchial asthma. She leaves her husband and two children, Oscar, aged 12, and Eleanor, aged 6, a sister, Mrs. Andrew Bakkum of this city and a father and four sisters in Vernon county.

Funeral services will be held at the residence tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. Rev. O. L. Christianson officiating. The remains will be taken to Westby on the four o'clock South-eastern tomorrow and burial will take place there Tuesday afternoon.

MOLLER DEPLORES IMMORAL TONE

Rev. C. N. Moller of Christ church will preach on Sunday night on the immoral influence of some lectures on morality. He believes that it is time for lectures advertising the lowest dens of vice and making sensational charges against the citizens of La Crosse to be avoided and condemned by all self respecting people.

A man's idea of house cleaning is to have his winter whiskers removed.

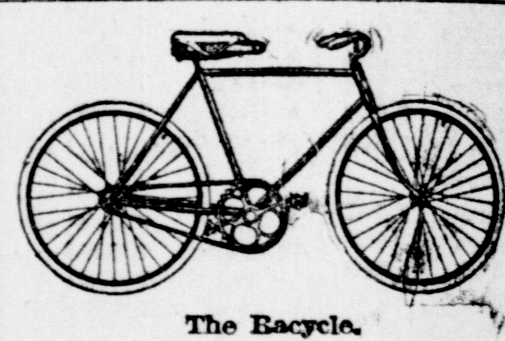


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PLEADS TO FREE STILLWATER POET

Editor of Century Magazine Before Pardon Board in Effort to Liberate Young Genius

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 16.—The editor of one of the greatest literary magazines in the world will appeal to the Minnesota state pardon board this afternoon in behalf of a poet who is spending ten years in state's prison at Stillwater for burglary.

The editor is Robert Underwood Johnson of New York, head of the Century magazine. The poet is John Carter, a young Englishman. Carter is not his real name. Only a few persons know his real name. Mr. Johnson hopes it will not be discovered. The man was homeless, cold and hungry. He stole \$24.

Carter gained Mr. Johnson's interest when he sent the Century a poem several weeks ago. It was entitled "Cou Sordini," "With Muted Strings." With it was a letter to the editor. The letter said frankly the author of the verses was in state's prison at Stillwater, Minn.

"John Carter," said he hoped that fact would not prejudice the editor. It did not. On the contrary, it sharpened Mr. Johnson's interest. He declares that he observed, instantly that the poem had unusual merit, was beautiful in expression and fancy, and was, in short, genuine poetry. He published it in the April number of the magazine with a footnote explaining where it came from.

The young Englishman who passes as John Carter, is, according to his lawyer Cyril Thomas, of London England, well connected in London.

He is a member of a good English family, Mr. Thomas says, but the latter refuses to divulge his real name while admitting that Carter is merely assumed.

RAILROADS MUST WATCH CROSSINGS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 15.—As a result of grade crossing accident in this city last week in which a Chicago and Alton train demolished a street car, killing one man and injuring fifteen the state board of railroad commissioners yesterday issued a peremptory order to all railroads that they must act at once and maintain their watchmen and gates at all city grade crossings from seven in the morning until midnight.

The city designated the crossings at which watchmen or gates are to be maintained but the state board has the authority to fix the hours of protection.

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DICKINSON WILL TALK ON WATER

Plow Company Official who Investigated Wells to Be Speaker at Civic Center Session

The program committee of the Civic Social Center organization of Washington school, recently organized, announces today that C. W. Dickinson, the official of the La Crosse Plow company who recently investigated the well system for facts contained in a report of civic water committees, will discuss the water problem at the next meeting at Washington school which will be held next Tuesday night.

The program committee will publish its report and full announcement Monday evening.

SEE COMER IN FRANK PICATO

NEW YORK, April 16.—That Frank Picato, the California lightweight, is a comer is the belief of nearly all the sports who saw him whip "Fighting" Dick Nelson at the National Sporting club last night. Picato's victory was not as impressive as that he gained over Johnny Martol last week but as the Californian had been worked pretty hard of late, his handling of Nelson was altogether to his credit. He had a good shade in every round and gave the Dane a lot of punishment.

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W. H. BRISTOW

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all our friends and neighbors, and to the Governor's Guards Assn., members of Companies B and M, officers of the 3rd Regiment, 3rd Regiment band, veterans of the Spanish-American war, Germania society, Concordia society, the Elks, Eagles and Redman lodges, and employees of the John Gund Brewing Company, for their kind assistance in the late bereavement through the death of our beloved husband and father, Lt. Col. I. E. Kircheis, especially do we thank those who sent the many beautiful floral offerings, and Mr. Wm. Luening and Rev. Andreas. MRS. J. E. KIRCHEIS and Son, Julius. MR. AND MRS. FRED KIRCHEIS MR. J. E. KIRCHEIS, SR., and Relatives.

PERSONALS

The best yet, the new pop!

Rev. John Wesley Carter of Racine delivered a lecture on "California" at St. Paul's Universalist church last evening.

Souvenirs free for adults only, with every \$1.00 purchase or more at the Park Store, Monday, April 18.

The first meeting of the new county board will probably be held the first week in May when the question of dividing the town of Farmington will come up for consideration. It is said there is some opposition to the division of the township.

Frank Petrosic, an employee of the James foundry, had his right hand caught in a machine yesterday morning, but his injuries are not serious.

Walter Adams, who escaped from the county jail and later arrested at Minneapolis, will be taken to Green Bay reformatory, but because of the fact that he is a jail breaker, he will probably be transferred to the state prison at Waupun.

James T. Day of the board of public works has received a variety of "bubblers" with which he will experiment on the several drinking fountains.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women. The monthly meeting of the directors of the Humane society will be held next Tuesday evening in the small council chamber of the city hall.

Horton B. Hetherington, superintendent of the City Mission, has received a letter from his brother, L. R. Hetherington of New Brunswick, who believed him to be dead.

Mrs. H. H. Powers of Black River Falls is visiting at the home of Mrs. Alex Hyslop before going west to reside.

At the twenty-ninth annual convention of the Wisconsin branch of the Woman's Board of Missions of the Interior, held at Waukesha this week, Mrs. Carrie King of Tomah was elected secretary of the La Crosse district.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

The C. L. Colman Lumber Company will erect a cement store house in addition to its buildings in its retail yards at Rushford.

David Hughes has shipped his household goods from this city to Rushford, Minn.

Lost, a string coral beads, somewhere between Sixth and Ferry, and Main and Tenth. Finder please return 105 South Tenth. Reward.

Mrs. Stephen Fraf and family of Merrillan, Wis., are visiting in this city while Mr. Fraf is in South Dakota looking after a claim.

Bishop James Schwebach, who was operated at St. Francis hospital on April 2, is rapidly improving.

The right-of-way difficulties of the Northwestern people in Tunnel City have finally been settled, the company securing permission from the town to cross one corner of the cemetery, there being no graves in that corner which it is proposed to use.

PRUNE WAFERS—Have you tried them for indigestion, biliousness, constipation? 25c at Mariner's Pharmacy, 425 Main street.

Announcement is made that the Acme Packet company of Rock Island has assigned the excursion steamer "J. S." to La Crosse for June 26 and August 3 and 11th, while the steamer "W. W." will be here June 5 and 7th and August 20 and 21st.

The Misses Mary Rueck and Elizabeth Galligan of Lanesboro, are the guests of friends here.

Frances Burroughs of this city, is spending the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Fanny Pooler at Onalaska.

Wacht am Rhein, a 5c cigar of merit. Jos. P. Riese & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nitting have returned to the city, after a several week's visit with relatives at Holmen.

M. Oren of Mabel, Minn., is at a local hospital for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Johnson and daughter and Mrs. L. T. Bacon, of Mabel, Minn., visited here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Erickson were callers in town from Mabel, Minn., Wednesday.

Tausche Hardware Co. find they will have 303 lawn mowers for their special sale April 19.

Master George Sabotta of Arcadia, is the guest of relatives here this week.

W. C. Moses and son Homer have returned from a four weeks visit to Winnipeg, Canada, where Mr. Moses is located for the summer.

Herbert Chase of this city, was called to De Soto, this week by the serious illness of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Chase.

Hack calls promptly made. Phone 175 Gateway City Trif Line.

Philip Shumway and Carl Monti, normal students, are spending their vacation at their homes at Genoa.

George Seitz of this city, transacted business at Cashton this week. Mrs. G. E. Dorival of Lanesboro, spent a few days with relatives here this week.

David Gordon of Arcadia, was a business caller in town Thursday. Ole Larson and son of Arcadia, spent Wednesday in the city.

Miss Lula Wolfe of this city, is

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the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Feuling, at Arcadia.

Miss Thekla Kreibitz returned to her home at Arcadia Wednesday, after several weeks stay at the St. Francis hospital.

Miss Elnora Smith, who has been confined at the St. Francis hospital, has been removed to her home, 1117 Market street.

Mr. Leigh Toland of the Wisconsin Business University, has returned from an extended visit in New York city.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I wish to announce to my friends and patrons that I have taken charge of the fitting and alteration department of the Paris Cloak Co.

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:: SOCIETY ::

There were many delightful social affairs during the week, foremost among them being the luncheon given by Mrs. W. F. and A. C. Wolfe at Masonic Temple, also the delightful and informal "at homes" given by Mrs. Vincent Tausche. The brides-elect have also been honored with dinners, coffees and showers. The "strangers within our gates" were not overlooked and several pleasant and delightful social gatherings were given in their honor.

ENDER-LUFF

The marriage of Miss Lydia Ender and Oswald C. Luff of Mound Prairie, Minn., occurred Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the German Baptist church. Rev. E. Berger officiating. The bridesmaids were the Misses Maggie and Clara Senn and the groomsmen were Messrs. Christ Luff and David Ender. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's father, David Ender about fifty persons being present.

SURPRISE PARTY

The ladies of Wilson Colwell Relief Corps No. 2, surprised Mrs. Eliza Irwin at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. I. Ward, Madison street, Thursday afternoon. Those present spent a very pleasant time. The ladies presented the hostess with a beautiful bouquet of sweet peas after which refreshments were served.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

The Ibsen club was entertained by Mrs. John O. Jorstad at her home, 922 Division street yesterday afternoon. The gathering was a farewell affair given in honor of Mrs. O. R. Skaar who will leave soon for Europe, going to Norway. The afternoon was passed in a social manner several interesting readings being rendered. A delightful luncheon was served at five o'clock.

MRS. TAUSCHE'S "AT HOME"

Mrs. Vincent Tausche gave two delightful and informal "at homes" during the week. The first was up on Thursday and the second the day following. The house was especially attractive with lovely and fragrant spring blossoms and wild flowers. In the reception parlor were bushes of pink and white azaleas, and small rose trees filled with blossoms. The den was in red. The dining room was especially pretty. Upon a round table stood a rustic basket of mixed flowers, violets, daisies, sweet peas and foliage. Handsome, clumsy lace doilies were scattered over the table, upon which were placed silver and cut glass. A large vase filled with gorgeous red poppies stood at the head of the upper landing. Diminutive rose trees and vases of cut flowers were placed in various parts of the upper rooms, adding to their attractiveness. Mrs. Otto Ewe received with the hostess upon Thursday. Mrs. Karl Kurtenacker had charge of the dining room and was assisted by the Misses Magdalene Tillman, Elsie Newburg, Margaret Tausche and Antoinette Lennon. Mrs. G. B. Rose and Miss Anna Pamperin assisted in entertaining the guests.

Yesterday Mrs. Tausche was again hostess, entertaining a large number of her friends. Mrs. M. Guenther was to have been guest of honor and receive with the hostess, but on account of illness was unable to be present. The ladies assisting in entertaining were Mrs. M. I. Tuteur, Miss Aletta Rose and Miss Josephine Koenig.

Miss Mable West had charge of the dining room and was assisted by Mrs. W. H. Funke and Misses Flora Guenther and Sophie Marquart. The decorations were the same used the day previous.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB

The Twentieth Century club was entertained by Mrs. Frank E. Davis at the Y. W. C. A., corner of Fourth and Cass streets, Tuesday afternoon. The subject of the lesson was James McNeill Whistler. The leader, Mrs. C. F. Emery, was assisted by Mrs. Munn, Mrs. McArthur, Mrs. Finch and Mrs. Coate.

Many interesting incidents of Mr. Whistler's life and also of his acquaintance with Oscar Wilde were told.

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their oneness of idea and effect. They are revelations of nature beauties, too common to be seen in the life and too simple to be appreciated on canvas. Whistler was the one who practically discovered a whole gamut of half-tone and half-tone lights had been lying unnoticed in landscape and has been considered by some not only a realist but a spiritist. He had a fine command of line in etching and from the "peacock room" owned by Mr. Avery of Detroit will always be remembered as a decorator.

Owing to the length of the lesson on art, "Current Events," which was in charge of Mrs. Bleekman, was postponed till the last meeting of the year.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Word has been received here of the marriage of Miss Angeline McHugh of this city to Mr. Edward J. Keogh of Spokane at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, April 12th. They will make their home at Jone, Wash., where the groom is engaged in the lumber business.

AFTERNOON COFFEES

Tuesday afternoon Miss Grace Heath entertained a dozen young women at a coffee in honor of Miss Stout of Toronto, and Mrs. S. Y. Hyde, Jr.

BRIDAL SHOWER

Miss Annie Kinnear entertained a company at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Helen Lavake. The decorations were wood violets. Ribbons of the same shade radiated from the guests' places to the center of the table.

Mrs. Preston Willard, formerly Miss Bruce, one of the teachers of the Washburn school, was given a

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shower Thursday evening by her fellow teachers, at the residence of Prof. Cogdon.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Rose and Miss Aletta Rose left this noon for Chicago where they will attend grand opera. They will also make a stop in Milwaukee.

Charles Tarbox, who was called home by the sickness and death of his mother, left Monday for Tacoma, where he is in business.

Reports from J. M. Holley says that he is greatly benefited by his trip and that he expects to arrive home early next week.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Woman's guild of Christ church will give a domestic sale and chicken pie supper at the guild rooms Tuesday. The sale will begin at 2:30 when all sorts of domestic articles will be on sale. There will also be a

BLITZ & BLATZ

Blatz—Hello Blatz, I see you used that Oriental Hair Renewer. Your hair is as dark as mine now, and you look splendid. But what makes you limping?

Blatz—Well, I got on my two toes one corn on each, and nothing seems to benefit them. Do you know of a cure Blatz?

Blatz—Yes, I was once troubled just the same way. Then my wife—

Blatz—Which one?

Blatz—Sheephead that you are, I only have one—she made me use "Sure Cure for Corns," what is selling by Druggist Beyschlag for 25c. In one week they were entirely disappearing and I have not seen them since.

Blatz—Blatz you are a very knowing man, and I will get me a bottle of that Sure Cure for Corns immediately. I thank you for your advisement and will reciprocate some time in the future. Au revoir!

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Good house and lot on Vine street, near Normal school\$4,000
House and lot on Avon St., good location, only\$2,900
Good 2 story brick house on 16th St., bargain at\$2,000
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Cottage on George Street, only\$800
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CHICAGO, April 16.—If the Chicago flat dweller's neighbor above or below him slams doors, calls the family cat, plays the pianola or encourages his children to practice new school yells, all in the still hours of the night, he has no redress. All he can do is turn over in bed, groan and cuss softly. A Chicago court has decided that he can do nothing.

Charles H. Hutchins asked the circuit court for an injunction to restrain the family of James E. Sunshine, living in the flat below him, from making an unseemly racket in the wee small hours. The court heard much evidence concerning just what constitutes an unseemly racket and just how loudly the said Sunshine called his cat from the back door at midnight, and then threw Hutchins' case out of court on the ground that there was not sufficient equity.

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NOTICE TO JEWELERS
Bids and designs will be received for medals for the Inter-state Track and Field Meet May 21st. There will be 13 sets of Gold, Silver, Bronze and one set of 4 silver medals.
The successful bidder will be expected to donate a cup for the highest point man. The price for the medals to run from \$75. to \$125. Kindly address all mail to: Track Manager, High School.
The manager reserves the right to accept any bid, or to reject any bid.
John Young
Track Manager

CHINESE UPRISING ECLIPSES BOXERS'

England Fears Serious Conflict as Result of the Anti-Foreign Movement in Hunan

CHINA IS IN SYMPATHY

British Gunboat Arrives but Fails to Dock Until Arrival of Others

LONDON, April 16.—London newspapers take an alarming view of the anti-foreign uprising at Chang Sha in Hunan province of China. They fear it will prove far more serious than the last boxer uprising. The opinions are based on government advices which indicate according to the press a widespread and increasing hostility toward occidentals. No less pessimistic views pervade government circles and preparations are now under way to take heroic steps to protect foreigners in China and all British interests should it become necessary.

The Wesleyan Missionary Society was notified today that its missionaries at Chang Sha have fled to Hankow for safety. No fatalities are yet reported though all the property of the mission as well as that of the Methodist, China Inland and Norwegian missions has been destroyed. Mobs are in complete possession of the city and the trouble is spreading.

Suspect the Government
An official message today from the Chinese government that it has ordered the governor of the Hunan province to take all necessary steps to put down the disorder has failed of a reassuring effect. The government is suspected of secretly sympathizing with the rioters.

Gunboat Fears to Dock
PEKIN, April 16.—One of the British gunboats reached Chang Sha today but owing to the overwhelming number of rebels in the city the boat did not dock. It is believed that its commander will await the arrival of the three other gunboats that are now on the way to Chang Sha.

It is not certain that all of these boats will be able to make the trip owing to the low stage of the Shiang Kiang.

Rev. Gilbert Warren of the Wesleyan mission and superintendent of the mission work in the Hunan province remains aboard a merchant ship. He believes that he can do more in restoring order if near the scene of the trouble than by fleeing to Hankow. Warren is greatly concerned for the 700 converts of the Wesleyan mission.

WITNESS' ILLNESS HALTS HYDE TRIAL

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 16.—After a 30 minutes' session today during which it was agreed that when the defense makes its opening statement it will not be interrupted or compelled to address an exhausted, sleepy or hungry jury, Judge Latshaw adjourned the hearing of the trial of Dr. Clark B. Hyde, alleged poisoner of Col. Thomas H. Swope, until Monday morning. The operation for appendicitis on Dr. Twyman was completed and the condition of the physician is such that his ultimate recovery within two weeks is predicted. State's Attorney Conkling asked for the delay today so as to reconstruct his plan of attack.

Dr. Twyman's testimony will now be reserved until the latter part instead of the first part of the state's case. If the operation should result in death, the trial will proceed without his testimony.

JAP SPY CAUGHT; WOULD AID PERU

LIMA, Peru, April 16.—Insistent rumors that Japan is offering aid to Peru in her threatened war with Ecuador in exchange for concessions from Peru, received further support today by the arrest of a Japanese at Guayaquil, Ecuador. The alleged spy is an army engineer and has lived in Peru for a number of years. The fact developed today also that practically all of the thousand or more Japanese residents of Peru have offered their services to Peru in the event of war. A number of these Japanese are veterans of wars at home. Their property interests in Peru are not such that they would support this country in a war, it is believed, which strengthens the conclusion that the Japanese are acting under directions from Tokio.

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and death of our sister and daughter, Mrs. Dansberry. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Frohock and Family.

Average conversation between men and women: He: "Oh you woman!" She: "Oh, you man!" By the time you see you made your mistake it is too late.

HEARING HERE ABOUT APRIL 22

Industrial Insurance Committee Coming to Meet with Employers and Employees

Complying with the request of the La Crosse Manufacturers' and Jobbers' Club, asking that a hearing be held in this city, the industrial committee of the Wisconsin state legislature has agreed to come here April 22.

At the recent meeting of the Jobbers' club Secretary R. Calvert was instructed to write to the committee in an effort to get it to visit La Crosse. The following reply has been received from P. J. Watrous, secretary of the committee:

"Madison, Wis., April 15, 1910.
"R. Calvert, secretary,
"La Crosse, Wis.

"Dear Sir: Your letter of the 13th addressed to Senator Sanborn has been referred to the water. The committee is advised of the desire for a hearing at La Crosse and will be pleased to comply at a date to be fixed about the 22nd of this month. The date for the meeting will be announced far enough ahead of the meeting to give sufficient time for preparation. It might be mutually advantageous to give the press some notice of the coming meeting in order that employers in cities close to La Crosse may be informed."

This is an important meeting and all employers and employees are urged to attend, because they are the ones who are vitally interested in the passage of the bills, now under consideration by the committee. Two tentative bills are under consideration, one to modify the liability of employers in negligent actions, and the other to fix a measured scale of compensation for industrial accidents, covered by insurance.

The following committee has charge of the local arrangements for the hearing: H. J. Hirschheimer, W. R. Montague, C. F. Michel, L. H. Martin and Louis Pamperin. The legislative committee comprises Senators A. W. Sanborn, Ashland; E. T. Fairchild, Milwaukee; John J. Blaine, Boscobel and Assemblymen Wallace Ingalls, Racine; C. B. Culbertson, Stanley; Walter D. Egan, Superior, and George G. Brew, West Milwaukee.

WOMEN WARLIKE TOWARD TAFT

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—A copy of a speech of Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt in which she, by inference, took exception to the attitude of President Taft on the suffrage question was delivered to the White House today. The convention of the National Suffrage Association voted unanimously to send the speech to "every politician in the country from the chief executive down."


The White House today apparently was determined to ignore the further actions of the suffragists and to consider the hissing and hooting of the president at Thursday night's meeting a closed incident.

The suffragists have taken to street meetings to explain their position in the presidential matter. Miss Ray Cosello, the English suffragette, and Alice Paul, the Philadelphia girl who was imprisoned for complicity in suffragette demonstrations in England, are the out door speakers. They are pleading for militant methods.

SONS OF NORWAY DECIDE ON DANCE

At a meeting of the joint committee of the Sons and Daughters of Norway last evening it was decided to celebrate Norway's national holiday on May 17, by holding a dance, but definite arrangements have not been made, owing to the fact that no hall has been secured for the event. Another meeting will be held Sunday evening, when final arrangements will be made. All the Norwegian societies in the city will join in making the event a success.

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PARTY TO REJECT HEARST DICTATION

Offer of Amalgamation of the Independence League Proves Chance to Let Him Rule

ULTIMATUM HIS UNDOING

Would Unite "Only to Best Promote Interests" of His Own Political Organization

NEW YORK, April 16.—The national democracy can amalgamate with the Hearst independence league only by accepting dictation from Hearst. That is the way local democratic leaders define the letter sent by W. R. Hearst, telling just how far John Temple Graves was authorized to go when he raised the Harmon, Hearst and harmony banner. Hearst claims that in New York he has destroyed Tammany hall. This Tammany leaders declare emphatically today is a lie. His declaration on that line is read as an announcement that at the coming primaries he and his followers will try to capture the Tammany machinery and Charles F. Murphy and his associates are already working to guard against that.

It is believed Hearst has placed an insurmountable obstacle in the way of amalgamation with the democracy by his attitude expressed as follows:

His Political Convictions

"I will own allegiance to no party that does not express my political convictions, and rather than be an insurgent inside of any party I would be an independent outside of every party."

If Hearst is to become a power in this state, he will have to capture the machine through the primaries, according to the men now in control. This will be a hard task and one Hearst has found impossible in the past.

The Hearst definition of an insurgent has not helped him much it is claimed. He defines insurgents as "men who would be independents if they did not place a higher estimation upon their political jobs than they place upon their political principles. An insurgent cannot accomplish as he cannot sacrifice."

And His Principles

Hearst's last word, even his followers here admit, is likely to prevent any amalgamation of his league and the democrats. He says: "Our independence forces will be ready to unite only with the democratic party—and only if their principles can best be promoted by such a combination."

That spells "nothing doing" in a Harmon, Hearst and harmony program in the opinion of democrats here.

But they point out that Hearst once changed his mind, accepted a nomination for governor at the hands of Murphy of Tammany and Connors of Buffalo and was only beaten by the personal intervention of the then president who sent his secretary of state to the rescue.

STEALS PURSE MAKES NO EXCUSE

Frank Stelzer, a Switchman Striker, Gets Thirty Days in County Jail Here

Trembling like a leaf, as a result of whisky, which he declared had ruined him since he went out in the switchmen's strike at Minneapolis, Frank Stelzer of Minneapolis, pleaded guilty before Judge Brindley this morning to the charge of stealing a purse from Mrs. Elmer Fuller on the north side and was sentenced to jail for 30 days.

Stelzer informed the court that after the strike was called in Minneapolis he started out and began drinking and said he had no excuse to make only that he wanted more money for drink. He entered the Fuller saloon on the north side, saw the purse lying on a table and picked it up. It contained between \$4 and \$5, which he spent for drinks. He told the court that anything he did with him would be satisfactory to him, appearing to be anxious to sober up and behave himself.

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A girl gets so excited about being engaged she forgets what a good time she had before she was.

CHARLES GILBERT IN COURT AGAIN

Wife of Man who was Converted in City Mission, Makes Second Complaint Against Him

Charles Gilbert, who came here as a tramp, later was converted at the City Mission, and then was married and promised to settle down and become a good citizen, was again arraigned before Judge Brindley this morning on complaint of his wife, charged with threatening her life. The case was adjourned until next Wednesday.

According to the story told by the police Gilbert was invited to take supper with a friend, and his wife accompanied him. On the way home, it is alleged, he made threats that he would kill her, and the arrest followed.

On January 5, last, Gilbert was arraigned in county court on the same charge. The court placed him under \$200 bonds to keep the peace for 60 days, and being unable to give bonds, he went to jail for that period of time. A divorce case is pending, but it has not been settled.

FIVE LIVES LOST IN SOUTHERN STORM

NEW ORLEANS, La., April 16.—Wire communication with Jackson, Miss., was partially restored at noon today and a telephone message from there brought the information that while the cyclone yesterday and the storm at any early hour this morning had caused enormous property damage it was not believed any lives had been lost in the city. Three persons are known to have been killed in the outlying districts, however, and it is feared later reports will increase this number.

Reports from along the Louisiana coast indicate that there has been great damage inflicted there. Communication with Memphis is badly interrupted, all wires in this section being badly crippled.

Five inches of rain fell throughout Tennessee, Mississippi and eastern Arkansas during the day yesterday and in some places is still falling. The wind reached the velocity of a cyclone and heavy hail storms prevailed near Jackson. Hardly a railroad escaped without one or two washouts during the day and schedules are badly interrupted. At Como, Marigold and Jonestown, Mississippi, houses were blown down, many unroofed, others lifted from their foundations. The damage to crops has been immense. Thousands of acres of cotton have been inundated and truck farms flooded. All streams are far out of their banks and the lowlands flooded.

Reports say thousands of heads of cattle and other livestock have been destroyed. Roads are impassable and bridges of all kinds have been washed out.

Also Strikes St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 16.—Only the edge of the storm that is sweeping the south reached St. Louis and vicinity but today a heavy rain is falling. Hail and rain accompanied by a high wind was general in this section and through southern Illinois last night. Several thousands of dollars damage was done at Granite City when the wall of the McKinley system car barns was blown down. The Purdy Orphans' Home at Madison was struck by lightning and partially destroyed. All points through southern Illinois report buildings blown over and trees uprooted by heavy winds. At Coffeen, Ill., the storm assumed the proportions of a cyclone and thousands of dollars worth of property was destroyed. Hail stones six inches in circumference fell at Coffeen.

Reports reaching here from Hopkinsville, Ky., say the tornado wrecked five business buildings last night. Elkhart, Ky., was also damaged. At Mexico and Jefferson City, Mo., snow fell this morning for over an hour.

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TOO MANY SMALL TROUT IN CREEK

Party of Fishermen Back from Sand Lake Coulee, but Report Poor Success

Dr. George F. Hauser, John E. Hauser and Will Moos have returned from a trout fishing trip to Sand Lake Coulee, and while they brought 72 "speckled beauties" with them, they report conditions quite unfavorable. They say the creeks are filled with many small fish, less than six inches long, which were all thrown back into the water, thus decreasing the number of fish in their string. The creek in which they fished had two cans of trout fry placed in it last year, and they have not as yet grown large enough to catch.

N. BEANS WITH THOMAS & PHALON

C. A. Thomas of the firm of Thomas & Phalon, the well known feed dealers, today announced that he had been given a partnership in the firm and will assume his duties with them Monday. He is to be secretary and treasurer of the concern. A new stock company has been incorporated at Madison with the secretary of state with a capital stock of \$25,000. C. A. Thomas will be president of the company and Mr. Phalon will be vice president.

THE WEEK FINANCIAL

Bank Statement
NEW YORK, April 16.—The weekly statement of the associated banks as issued today shows the following changes:
Reserve on all deposits, increase \$4,449,350.
Reserve on deposits, other than United States, increase \$4,450,300.
Loans, decrease \$15,795,600.
Specie increase \$397,400.
Legal tenders, increase \$276,600.

INDIANS FIGHT; ONE BADLY HURT

Whiskey Gets the Best of Them and Flatirons, Clubs and Pitchforks Are Used

"CHARLIE WHITEBOY" HURT

Struck with a Flatiron by Squaw with Serious Results; Tribe Ordered to Leave

After filling up on "fire water" the Indians, who have been camping near La Crosse, got into a serious battle last night, in which "Charlie Whiteboy," a one-legged Indian, was seriously injured as a result of a blow with a flatiron, and several others were slightly hurt. For a time it was thought that Whiteboy would die as a result of the blow, but reports today are to the effect that he will recover.

The Redskins have been in camp across the river for some time, awaiting their annual spring medicine dance. Yesterday they procured some whiskey which was the cause of all the trouble. The squaws as well as the bucks became drunk and then the war began. Just what started the trouble cannot be learned, but it was not long before clubs, knives, flatirons and pitchforks were used as weapons, and after Whiteboy had been injured, the entire tribe fled.

Whiteboy, who took part in the hands of a squaw, and another Indian was injured with a pitchfork. The news of war reached La Crosse, and Frank Smith, who owns the land upon which the Redskins were camping, ordered them to pull up stakes and leave. This they did and today not an Indian is left on the camping grounds.

The local police have not been informed of the trouble, according to a statement made by Chief Webber, and no arrests will be made here. It is likely, however, that the Houston county authorities may take a hand in the matter and arrest those who took part in the affair.

It is not known where the Indians procured their whiskey, but it is believed they bought it in La Crosse.

LONELY FOR WIFE HE ENDS HIS LIFE

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 16.—Lonely ever since his wife went to Chicago April 3 for a short trip, Edward L. Merrill, aged 35, at one time in charge of the catalogue department of Montgomery Ward & Co., leaped from the second story of the Beaufort hotel here early today and was dead when found a few minutes later. Mr. Merrill has relatives of considerable wealth in Los Angeles. His brother and mother are there. In his room was found a pitiful letter from his wife who is visiting relatives in Chicago.

In it she says she has not heard from him since she left Minneapolis and that she fears he is either ill or in financial trouble but that in either case she will do everything in her power for him as she loves him best of all in the world and will give him her last penny. She asks for word from him immediately.

Late yesterday afternoon, Merrill called on Captain Nick Smith, chief of detectives, and asked if any detectives were looking for him. When told that his idea was a hallucination, he went away.

AUSTRALIA MAY MINE OWN COAL

MELBOURNE, April 16.—The controversy in the United States over the acquisition by private monopolies of the coal lands of that country had its echo here today in the request of Prime Minister Murray of the Victorian state government for parliamentary sanction for the state to engage in the coal business. The state now owns the coal mines of Australia, but Murray wishes to end the system of leasing the mines to private individuals. He says coal "has become an absolute necessity in the life of a civilized community" and that it is better for the state to handle it. It is not desired to make a profit, he says, but simply to secure a return sufficient to defray expenses and provide a sinking fund.

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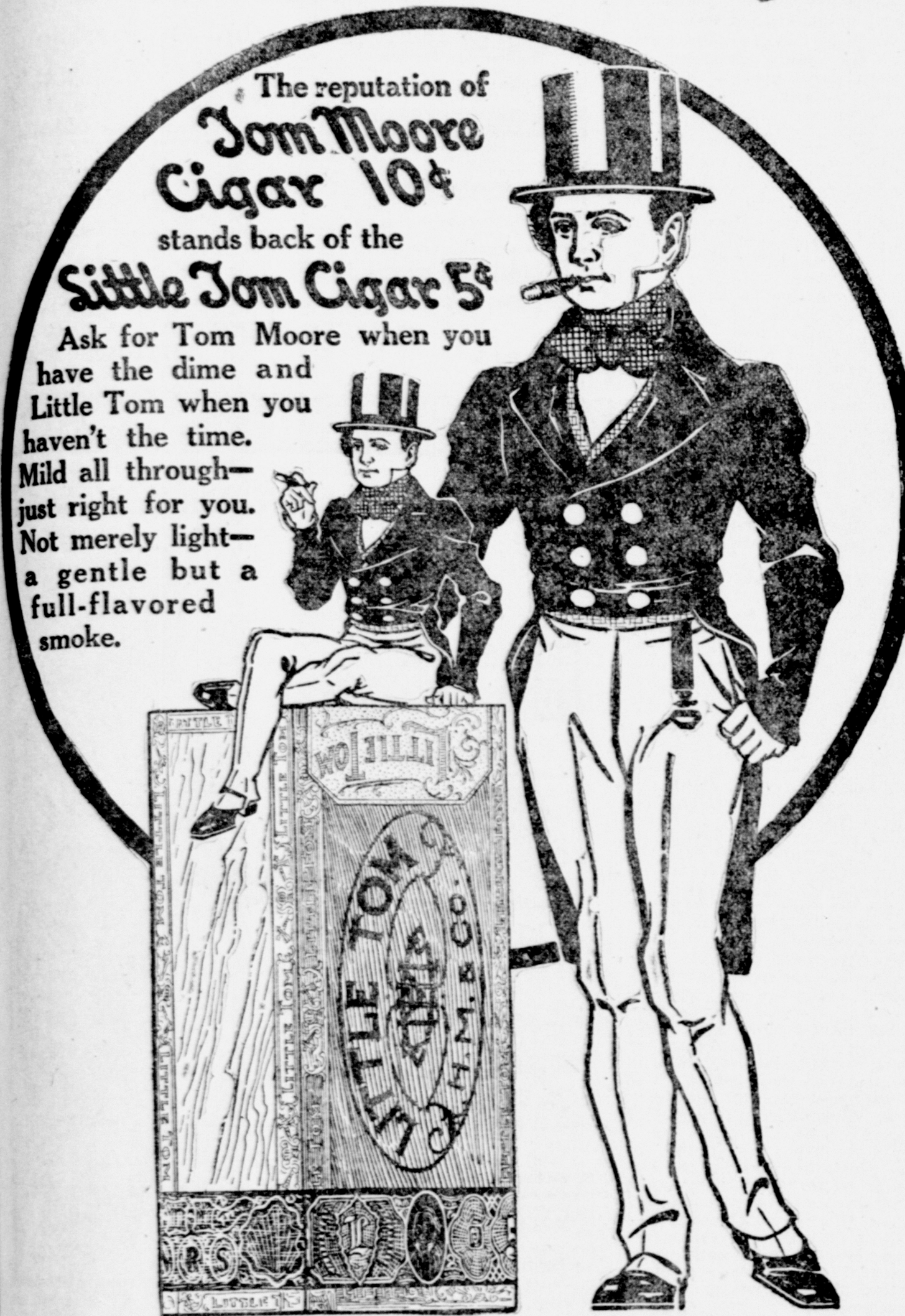
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NEW YORK, April 16.—So far as concerned financial developments of the day, our own stock market presented a minimum of interest. As a rule prices merely swung back and forth within a few fractional points and on desultory trading. A rise of a point or two in the copper mining stocks was the only incident worth noticing. On Europe's stock markets also the day passed quietly, but London appeared to expect renewal next week of its "rubber speculation." As was naturally to be expected, the real interest of the day was directed toward the markets for money and exchange. Pending arrival of the large gold consignment sent from here during the past week, London has appeared to be in a more comfortable state of mind. There are still \$4,000,000 of such remittances on the way. Meanwhile, however, the outside demands on London itself continue.

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POLICE END MARATHON DANCE



Five Couples Who Were Still Dancing When Police Ended Contesta
SAN FRANCISCO.—At the end of 15 hours and 6 minutes of continuous dancing the police stopped the "to a finish" Marathondance at Dreamland pavilion, while couples were on the floor. The record of 14 hours and 42 minutes established at Puckett's two weeks ago was broken. The dancers calmly continued after the police had stopped the music.

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

At a meeting of the Gays Mill Fair Association, E. G. Briggs was elected general superintendent; J. W. McCullick, manager; and John L. Lister, privilege manager. The dates for this year are set for Oct. 11 to 14.

The two year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Sime died at the family home on North Church street at an early hour Friday morning. Mr. Sime was in La Crosse at the bedside of his wife who is dangerously ill in one of the hospitals there.

Not One Drop of Alcohol In This

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a tonic and alterative, free from alcohol. What is a "tonic"? A medicine that imparts strength or tone; a medicine that builds up, gives vigor and power. What is an "alterative"? A medicine that alters or changes unhealthy action to healthy action. Ayer's Sarsaparilla does all this without stimulation. Never take a medicine your own doctor cannot endorse.

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VIROQUA, WIS.

Mrs. C. E. Butters has been a little alarmed since receiving a letter from Dr. C. V. Porter saying that Rev. Butters had been in a hospital for eight days and that "if anything happens to Butters, I will cable you for instructions."

About half of the male population of Viroqua is out after the finny tribe.

Mrs. Nancy Tongue of Hillsboro has been granted a pension of \$12 per month.

Mrs. Hall visited her son, William McMullin, at Cashton.

Miss Bertina Olson has resigned her position at the postoffice, where she has been an employee for some time. She is succeeded by A. Gelstrup, who formerly held the same position.

Harry Bailey of Richland Center is visiting here.

Robert Craig is helping at the O. E. Davis pharmacy for a fortnight.

Kenneth Knebler is wearing his left arm in a sling as the result of an accident sustained recently.

Game Warden George Mannel of Sparta arrested two young fellows, Henry Thompson and Ed Frederick, of Stoddard, for illegal fishing in the streams near there. They were brought before Justice S. R. Pollard yesterday morning and pleaded guilty.

Miss Grace Morrison celebrated her birthday last evening by a party.

H. L. Rayner and family have decided to seek a western location. Mr. Rayner and two daughters, Misses May and Kate, recently took up claims near Miles City, Mont., and contemplate going there in early summer.

Miss Marion Dahl of this city has the honor to be chosen as associate editor of the Chadbourne Review, a new coed paper to appear in the near future at the university of Wisconsin.

Miss Lavina Peterson has accepted a position as clerk in the H. E. Rogers dry goods store.

J. M. White is spending a few days at Viola.

W. J. Roland of Eau Claire visited F. H. Graves.

Willard Hall of Readstown visited here briefly.

Capt. H. Connor of Hillsboro is visiting here, having headquarters at Hotel Portney.

Henry Lindemann and Chris Berg went to Chicago to see "Aida."

Lute Purdy is home from La Crosse hospital and is slowly recuperating.

MEN ARE POWERLESS

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To treat Dandruff, and Falling Hair, with irritants or oils on which a parasitic germ will prosper, is like scooping water from the ocean to prevent the tide from rising.

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TAFT TO VISIT AT DETROIT, MICH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—Two more towns went down on the Taft travel schedule. The president definitely accepted an invitation to address the Detroit Chamber of Commerce on June 3.

An invitation extended by Representative Good of Iowa to dedicate the new Carnegie science hall of Coe college at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, was accepted tentatively.

Nervous Prostration For Three Years

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Much sickness is due to nervous troubles. Headache, dizziness, epilepsy and insanity are nervous troubles. Then there is a large class of disorders which arise from a weakness of the nerves of an organ or part, as weak lungs, heart, stomach, kidney, bladder, eyes, etc. Dyspepsia and indigestion are usually the result of nervous disorders.

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NEW CO. SUCCEEDS OLD PURE FOOD CO.

A new company has been formed with capitalization of \$50,000 which has bought out the interests of the mortgagees in the La Crosse Pure Food company, taking over the plant and business, and hereafter will conduct the concern, although the name "The La Crosse Pure Food Company" will remain the same. With the purchase of the company by the present owners the old organization and the mortgagees who operated the plant for a time are out of it entirely.

The gentlemen who now own the plant are J. A. L. Bradford, president; A. Z. Taylor, vice president; A. T. Rasmussen, secretary-treasurer; W. D. Neilsen, factory superintendent; and H. P. Strahl, sales manager.

Mr. Strahl comes from Cleveland, Ohio, and is to take charge of the sales department of the company, and has had large experience in the business. The company will continue to manufacture and wholesale dairy products, specializing on ice cream, Choclate and lunch cheese, for which there has already been built up a large demand.

YEOMEN BANQUET PROVES A SUCCESS

The banquet given by Rowena Circle No. 2, B. A. Y., Tuesday evening, April 12, was an event long to be remembered among the members and invited guests. At 2:30 a short business session was held, after which the members played progressive euchre until 5:30. Handsome prizes were awarded to Mesdames Rely, Rawlinson, Keegan and Vandrashek.

At 6 o'clock the guests began to assemble and by 7:30 one hundred and fifty formed in line for the grand march to the music of the Yeomen orchestra and filled the two rows of tables which reached the entire length of the hall and which were laden with good things which had been prepared by the committee in charge. Mrs. H. A. Lee, president of the circle, acted as toastmaster, and all the guests which were called upon responded with a pretty toast or funny story, among which was the following given by Nellie Grove, secretary of the circle:

Welcome you friends and brotherhood too,
As the chosen ones of Rowena No. 2,

May we prosper in the future as we have in the past,
Our motto "Friendship and Charity" will reign till the last.

Then be ready to boost and never to knock,
And we'll win. Then be ready to boost

And never knock, and we'll win the bright laurels

For we're a chip of the old block.

The hall was prettily decorated with large palms, Yeomen flags and Yeomen colors and made a beautiful appearance.

The six young lady waiters were prettily gowned in white. The Yeomen orchestra furnished music for dancing and the entire expense was paid out of the treasury. The event was one long to be remembered by those present.

The following was the bill of fare: "Quim olives, prime roast beef, brown gravy, roast leg of veal with dressing, whipped cream, potatoes, Florida green peas with cream sauce, Yeomen breakfast rolls, cabbage salad, home grown radishes, dill pickles, B. A. Y. ice cream, assorted cakes, California oranges, coffee milk." La Crosse Homestead No. 806 B. A. Y. held an open meeting and class adoption in Nicholson-Scott hall Thursday evening and a class of thirty-five new members were taken in, in the presence of over three hundred Yeomen and invited friends.

The following interesting program was given after which the Yeomen orchestra furnished music for dancing:

Address of welcome—Hon. Foreman C. W. Willey.

Overture—Yeoman orchestra.

Obligation of candidates.

Address—Past Foreman Jas. B. Murray.

Solo—"In the City Where Nobody Cares," by Dorothy Lederger, accompanied by Jessie Monty.

Recitation—"Hats Off to the B. A. Y."

Piano solo—Jessie Monty.

Solo—"Garden of Roses," by Elizabeth Drake, accompanied by Miss Doten.

Address—Hon. C. E. Stalcop.

The address given by Mr. C. E. Stalcop of Des Moines, Iowa, national lecturer and grand master of ceremonies, was received with much interest and proved to be one of the best fraternal addresses ever given in La Crosse. The deputies selected a number of new applications during the evening for the next large class which will be taken in in May. Mr. Stalcop and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lee left for Galesville Friday and attended an open meeting of the Galesville Homestead in the opera house Friday night, where Mr. Stalcop addressed another large gathering of interested Yeomen and friends who had assembled there from Galesville, Erick, Trempealeau and Centerville and surrounding territory.

An elaborate program was given after which the Galesville orchestra furnished excellent music for dancing.

A number of new applications were secured during the evening. Mr. Stalcop and Mr. and Mrs. Lee left for Houston Saturday morning to be present at an open meeting at that place Saturday evening.

The La Crosse Rowena circle will give the next of their series of card parties and dances Thursday evening. The green are again in the lead in the Yeomen contest.

When young a girl wonders if she will ever meet a man she would marry; after she gets older, she wonders if she will ever meet one she wouldn't marry.

NEXT WEEK

April 18th to 25th

The leading haberdashers will display the

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DAKOTA, MINN.

Mr. Levy Sweet has moved onto his valley farm near the village.

Mr. Earl Smythe has rented Dr. Wilson's farm on the ridge.

Mr. F. E. Brown has purchased Mr. Workman's berry patch.

The L. O. G. T. held their regular meeting Thursday evening. A very pleasant time was enjoyed. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Luther of La Crosse have moved into the Ease house.

Mr. Mills has his new house nearly done.

Mr. Jacob Cewe, Jr., has bought George Purdy's trotting horse.

The members of Liberty Lodge No. 19 will give an ice cream social Friday afternoon and evening, April 22. A program will be given at 8 p. m.

CENSUS MAN AT THE TAFT HOME

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—Mrs. Howard Taft did not stand out on the back steps to expound the family pedigree to the census enumerator, as some other housewives throughout the country did, but the White house census was taken and there were no disputes as to who was "head of the family."

When Census Enumerator Charles E. Sloan started out to count the population in his district, he decided that 1600 Pennsylvania avenue would be a fit place to begin. He did not ring the front doorbell nor brave the dangers of the back yard. He went directly to the executive office, was turned over to a clerk, and received the history of the family.

Some of the items on the White

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THE SPORTING NEWS

DOVES DEFEAT GIANTS, 5 TO 4

Better Stick Work on the Part of Boston Responsible for the Victory

AMERICANS VICTORIOUS ALSO

Red Sox Win from the Yankees by a Score of 3 to 2 by Timely Clouting and Errors

BOSTON, April 16.—The Doves won again from the Giants and again it was by superior baseball. The score was 5 to 4. The Doves did not play the fine game they did the day before, but they hit better. The fielding was not up to the same standard, however. Brown replaced Curtis after the Giants scored twice in the first. Score: R H E Boston . . . 01000301x—5 9 2 New York . . . 01102000—4 8 1 Batteries—Curtis, Bell, Broom and Graham; Raymond, Crandall and Schlei.

Philadelphia, 7; Brooklyn, 4. PHILADELPHIA, April 16.—The Phillies turned the tables on Brooklyn yesterday when, by bunching five of their seven hits in the second inning, they secured a lead the Trolley Dodgers were unable to overcome. With Scanlon's retirement the Phillies were powerless before Bell. Brooklyn hit the ball hard and often but their hits were, as a rule, scattered. Score: R H E Philadelphia . . . 04020001x—7 7 0 Brooklyn . . . 001201000—4 10 3 Batteries—Moren and Jackleitch; Scanlon and Irwin.

Cincinnati, 5; Chicago, 3. CINCINNATI, April 16.—Outplayed and outhit, the Cubs allowed the Reds to whittle down a lead of three runs and finally win, 5 to 3. After tiring in the fourth, Pinche McCabe drove the needed tally home. From then on the Cubs couldn't have driven any of their men across with the aid of dynamite. Score: R H E Cincinnati . . . 00031010x—5 9 2 Chicago . . . 102000000—3 7 4 Batteries—Covalesski, Suggs and Clarke; Brooks and Archer.

St. Louis 6, Pittsburgh 5. ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 16.—Pittsburgh lost the second of the 1910 season here yesterday when St. Louis batted out a victory in the seventh inning, score 6 to 5. Liefeld was knocked off the mound and Frock did not fare so well either, although it must be said the latter went in at a time when almost nothing could stop the Cardinals. Score: R H E St. Louis . . . 00100050x—6 8 3 Pittsburgh . . . 010200200—5 9 1

STANDINGS OF THE CLUBS

American Association				W.	L.	Pct.
Toledo	.....	3	0	1.000		
Columbus	.....	2	1	.667		
Minneapolis	.....	2	1	.667		
St. Paul	.....	2	1	.667		
Milwaukee	.....	1	2	.333		
Kansas City	.....	1	2	.333		
Louisville	.....	1	2	.333		
Indianapolis	.....	0	3	.000		
American League				W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	.....	2	0	1.000		
Boston	.....	1	0	1.000		
Chicago	.....	1	1	.500		
Washington	.....	1	1	.500		
St. Louis	.....	1	1	.500		
Philadelphia	.....	1	1	.500		
New York	.....	0	1	.000		
Detroit	.....	0	2	.000		
National League				W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	.....	2	0	1.000		
Boston	.....	2	0	1.000		
Pittsburg	.....	1	1	.500		
St. Louis	.....	1	1	.500		
Brooklyn	.....	1	1	.500		
Philadelphia	.....	1	1	.500		
New York	.....	0	2	.000		
Chicago	.....	0	2	.000		

GAMES YESTERDAY

American Association
St. Paul, 8; Milwaukee, 7.
Toledo, 3; Indianapolis, 2.
Columbus, 3; Louisville, 2.
Minneapolis, 10; Kansas City, 4.
American League
Cleveland, 6; Detroit, 2.
St. Louis, 5; Chicago, 4.
Philadelphia, 8; Washington, 2.
Boston, 3; New York, 2.
National League
Boson, 5; New York, 4.
St. Louis, 6; Pittsburgh, 5.
Cincinnati, 5; Chicago, 3.
Philadelphia, 7; Brooklyn, 4.

GAMES TODAY

American Association
Milwaukee at St. Paul.
Kansas City at Minneapolis.
Indianapolis at Toledo.
Louisville at Columbus.
National League
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincinnati.
New York at Boston.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
American League
Cleveland at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Washington.
Boston at New York.
St. Louis at Chicago.
Batteries—Corridon and Bresnahan; Liefeld, Bachman and Gibson.
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Boston 3, New York 2
NEW YORK, April 16.—The Red Sox nosed out the Yankees yesterday, 3 to 2. An error, a sacrifice fly and a wild pitch in the opening session gave the visitors two runs. A couple of singles and two passes in the second netted one for the Yank. Timely clouting landed an-

other for the Red Sox in the fourth. Score: R H E New York . . . 010010000—2 7 3 Boston . . . 200100000—3 6 0 Batteries—Quinn, Burns, Ford, Criger and Sweeney; Smith and Carigan.

Philadelphia 8, Washington 2. WASHINGTON, April 16.—The Athletics came back at the locals and after pounding Reising out of the box in the second inning, clinched the game by bunching their hits off Groom. The final score was 8 to 2. The batting of Hartsell, Murphy and Livingstone and two fast double plays by the locals were the features of the game. Score: R H E Washington . . . 000000002—2 9 3 Philadelphia . . . 210102001—8 12 0 Batteries—Reising, Groom and Street; Bender and Livingstone.

Cleveland 6, Detroit 2. DETROIT, Mich., April 16.—Link, the Cleveland recruit, was a little nervous when he started to pitch his first major league game, but he finished well and pitched a good game. Cobb and Crawford collaborated for one run their first time up. After that, until the ninth, only one Tiger got to third and two as far as second. Works was murdered in the tenth. Score: R H E Detroit . . . 1000000010—2 4 0 Cleveland . . . 0010001004—6 11 0 Batteries—Willett, Works, Stanage and Schmidt; Linke and Easterly.

St. Louis 5, Chicago 4. R H E Chicago . . . 300100000—4 8 3 St. Louis . . . 002101100—5 8 1 Batteries—Walsh, Olmstead and Payne; Peltz, Waddell and Stephens.

JEFF'S NECK IS SUDDENLY AFFECTED

(By the Ringsider—Max Balthasar) ROWARDENNAN, Cal., April 16.—Although they are trying to laugh it off today there are indications that many of those around the Jeffries camp are uncomfortably wondering just what would happen if Jeff got another catch in the neck, as he did yesterday in the third round of his boxing with Bob Armstrong. Just before they quit, Jeff suddenly dropped his hands to his sides absolutely helpless. There was a paralyzing pain in his neck. It took about five minutes of sharp rubbing before the pain eased. It is believed by many that Jeff took cold from his first day's boxing with Sam Berger, not being properly cooled off, and that the cold spread from shoulder to neck muscles. Afterward Jeff ducked into the house where he remained. Jeff's birthday caused a shower of telegrams from all parts of the country wishing him many happy returns of the day and predicting success in the fight. No woman in the world is quite as much a back number as a last year's fashion plate. Some people would rather join the crowd than go to heaven.

JOE SAFFORD AND ROONEY RETURN

Get Pitcher Whittaker at Fort Wayne and Infielder Connell from Indianapolis

Manager Joe Safford and President Henry Rooney of the local baseball association returned last night from a scouting trip of about a week during which time they visited Chicago, Fort Wayne and Indianapolis. Joe said this morning that he had secured Pitcher Whittaker at Fort Wayne. He saw him work out and said that he would make a good man for the local aggregation. "He looks good to me," was Safford's comment when he saw the big fellow work out. Infielder H. Connell of Indianapolis was secured from Manager Carr of that team. Safford also secured an option on a catcher who he can have at any time before June 1, if the backstopping end of the local team should become damaged. Pitcher Charles Watson of Toledo returned with them. His arm, which was injured in a shooting accident last winter, is now entirely healed. "I saw Mike Malloy at Chicago," said Safford, "and I think that he is handing out a lot of hot air about that club of his. It doesn't look like a pennant winning aggregation to me."

The local players will report here for practice Monday afternoon and many of them are expected to arrive today and tomorrow.

JACK HAS HIGH REGARD FOR JEFF

CHICAGO, April 16.—"I have only the highest regard for Mistah Jeffries as a gentleman and fighter and till he says something uncomplimentary about me I shall continue to hold mah good opinion of him. If I beat him on July 4, I will be the first to help him to his corner; if he beats mah, I will be the first to congratulate him." Johnson did ten miles on the road today, boxing four rounds, wrestled, cut some wood and tossed the medicine ball. This afternoon he expects to take up Jeffries' stunt of playing baseball. Fight fans who saw Johnson work today are beginning to change their opinion and believe he is getting down to real work. Johnson is considerably over weight but will not endeavor to take off his superfluous flesh until he reaches the coast. From darkest Africa came a letter today informing Jack that the colored persons on that continent were selling elephant tusks and other valuables to raise money to bet on him. It tickled Jack.

MARION MAY NOT RETURN.

Chief Roger Bresnahan of the St. Louis National league team is attempting to hold Duluth up for a piece of money on the return of Marion to the White Sox. The leader of the Cardinals wants \$200 more for the return of Marion than he paid into the treasury of that club for the purchase of the player. Unless Bresnahan lightly vaults from his high and lofty stand, he will probably have to find some other means of disposing of the big twirler.

FODDER FOR FANS

With the marriage certificate framed and hanging on the wall, Manager Tommy Schoonhoven of Eau Claire ought to be able to devote the greater part of his time this season to developing the team.

The Cardinals have discovered another first class first sacker but they won't sell Konetchy. "Might as well close the park," says Bresnahan. By the way they were defeated the other day by the St. Paul association team.

Kohl and Breen of the Duluth White Sox last year are playing good ball with the St. Paul team, but it is a difficult matter to forecast whether they will remain with that team as they have the best sort of veterans to displace. Bailey is clouting the sphere with the same success that he did when he played with Eau Claire last year. The center fielder should have easy going with the Brewer team in the American association.

Mique Malloy, who defeated the Logan Squares at Chicago a few days ago, has a pennant winning crowd says Jimmy Callahan. Retort courteous of the vanquished. We are willing to be shown in this region of the circuit as to the flag winning ability of the Red Wing recruits from the Chicago semipro.

Eddie Kohl, actor and ball player, who covered short for the Duluth club last year, has been turned over to the Rock Island aggregation. Schoonhoven, the Angel-faced manager of the Eau Claire team, has returned to town and the city turned out and gave the freckled-faced boy a glad hand welcome.

Schoonhoven has secured McShane a pitcher, who is said to be a very good man. He was tried out with the Milwaukee American association team, and should make a star for Eau Claire. Negre, a pitcher from the Chicago semi-profession class; Johnson from Milwaukee and Conure, who comes to the team well recommended, are also of the squad. Of the veterans "Slat" Morrow will be back, as well as Worman, Nicholson, Benrud, Kick, Kading, Breyette and Thrall, who was given a tryout with the team last season. The new candidates will include, Moort, a man from Kansas City, who will try for third base; Newell, a crack college catcher from the University of Wisconsin; O'Neill of Burlington, Wis., who will be tried out behind the bat; and Holstrom, who converted in the daisy patch for Superior, part of last season.

Donovan is proving a find for O'Dea. He has been playing the outfield for Superior in the spring games and has been stinging the spheroid a manner to bring delight to the jovial Duke. Landry and Shinn are also playing good spring ball for Artha, and if their present gait is maintained the Duke will have a fast trio of gardeners.

Jack Corrigan, manager of Rochester, has returned to Minneapolis from Des Moines, where he looked over the Minneapolis recruits with the hope of landing some desirable Class D men. He has failed and is on the lookout in other fields.

Crab Kilian has returned to Winona and is busy making arrangements for the practice of the team. In an interview with Willie Beach Smith, Uncle Joe has come out and declared he is full of happiness and as chipper as a colt raised on blue

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With becoming modesty Joseph declines to state that he will win the pennant, but leaves the pleasant impression that he will be in the first three when the last game of the season has been called. Sunday, April 24, the Winona team will line up against the Dubuque Olympics. This game, according to present plans, will be one of the first workouts in public of the present season. One of the Winona scribes states that no member of the Winona Pirates will be satisfied unless they "hear bands playing for them as the champions at the end of the season." That is a very laudable and lofty ambition, sure enouf.

PLAN BIG AUTO RACE NEAR ELGIN

CHICAGO, April 16.—The "Western Vanderbilt" auto race will be held on a course to be constructed near Elgin, Ill., before summer, if the plans of the Chicago Motor Club do not fall through. This means that the Crown Point-Lowell course, over which the Cobe and Indiana races were run last year will be abandoned. A committee representing the club has practically completed arrangements for using the Elgin course. The Cobe cup races will again be run but the Elgin trophy will replace the Indiana trophy put up last year.

CHIVINGTON ISSUES NUMEROUS RELEASES

According to the list of releases issued by President Chivington of the American association this morning Eau Claire gets R. C. Moore of Kansas City. Charles McShane of Milwaukee; Rochester gets players Chase and Johnson from Minneapolis. Pitcher Noel who started the season here last year is released by Minneapolis to Sioux City. St. Paul releases shortstop Kohl of Duluth last year to the Rock Island club.

KOLB TO MANAGE LA CRESCENT TEAM

La Crescent has organized a baseball team and Manager Kolb, who managed the Noxalls of this city last year, has been engaged to have charge. A strong team has been organized, and while no games have been scheduled as yet Manager Kolb hopes to put La Crescent on the baseball map this year, and to land the amateur championship for this section.

REFUSE RESIGNATION OF YALE CAPTAIN

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 16.—It was announced that the members of the Yale baseball team have refused to accept the resignation of Captain Steve Philbin, tendered on account of an injury to his ankle that will incapacitate him for several weeks. "I shall probably be in shape for the championship games at the season's end," said Philbin, "so I guess I'll not insist further on the acceptance of the resignation."

MIDDY ATHLETE DIES. ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 16.—Midshipman Earl D. Wilson, who was injured in a football game last October, died at the naval hospital at 5:36 this morning. His neck was fractured.

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In The Churches

First Congregational Church
First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets, Henry Faville, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. Theme, "Modern Church Generalship." By a vote of the church on Wednesday evening the second service of the church will be held at 4:30 instead of 7:30 p. m. for the next few months. This service will aim to be a service in which all can worship, with special music and sermon by the pastor. At the service on Sunday afternoon Mrs. Cilley will sing and the pastor will speak upon "Suggestions as to the Sabbath." Bible school at noon. Topic in men's class, "The Makers of the Story." Laymen's Missionary convention at St. Paul April 26.

First Methodist Episcopal
First Methodist Episcopal church, King and Eighth streets, Rev. A. L. Lincoln Shute, pastor. Class meeting, 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 10:30. Annual educational address by Prof. J. O. Engelmann of the normal school on the subject, "Why We Educate." All parents and young people especially invited. Sunday school, 12 m.

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Epworth league, 6:30 p. m. Sermon at 7:30 p. m. by the Rev. W. P. Cunningham of the West Avenue church. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. "God's Man and the Great Sight." Ex. 3:1-12; Mat. 5:8. Leader, Rev. G. B. Caple.

First Baptist Church
First Baptist church, Sixth street, between King and Main, Rev. John E. Ayscove, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. Morning service at 10:45. Colton mission and Junior at 3:30. Young People's meeting at 6:30. Evening service at 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. The pastor will preach at both services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist
First Church of Christ, Scientist, King street between Fifth and Sixth. Sunday service, 10:30 a. m., subject, "Doctrine of Atonement." Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:45 p. m. Reading room open every week day from 2 to 5 o'clock in the church.

German Baptist Church
German Baptist Church, corner of 7th and Winnebago streets, E. Berger, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Sunday morning service at 10:45. Evening service at 7:30. Sunshine Society will meet Monday evening at the home of Mr. Wilhelm corner West Ave. So. and Market street. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Thursday afternoon at 2:30, the Ladies' Missionary Society will meet at the home of Miss L. Schwarz, 600 So. Sixth street. Friday evening the Young People's society will have a social evening at the parsonage, 721 Ferry street.

Y. M. C. A.
Y. M. C. A., Seventh and Main streets. Abner G. Gran, general secretary. Men's meeting Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Y. W. C. A.
Vesper services at the Y. W. C. A., Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

German M. E. Church
German Methodist church, corner Seventh and Ferry streets, J. L. Panzlau, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m., sermon at 10:30. Epworth League will meet at 7 in the evening. Preaching at 7:45. Wednesday night prayer meeting.

Christ Church Episcopal
Cor. 9th and Main.
Rector—Rev. C. N. Moller.

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Services for third Sunday after Easter:

8:00—Holy communion.

9:30—Sunday school.

10:45—Morning service.

Te Deum—Calkin in G.

Jubilate—Steane in F.

Anthem—"Sing Praises," Guonod.

7:30—Evening service.

Service—Stainer in A.

Anthem—"The Day is Past," Marks.

Reformed Church

Reformed church, corner Fourth and Market streets. Sunday services at 10:30 a. m.

Westminster Church

Westminster church—Services at 10:30. Sunday school at 11:30. No evening service.

Emmanuel Evangelical Church

Emmanuel Church of the Evangelical association, Twelfth and Vine. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching, 10:30 a. m.; Y. P. A. meeting, 6:45 p. m.; preaching, 7:45 p. m.

Peoples' Sunday School

Peoples' Sunday school meets in Traveler's hall, Linker building, corner of Fourth and Main streets, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Norwegian Lutheran Church

Norwegian Lutheran church, corner Division and Sixth streets, Rev. H. G. Magelsson, pastor. Services 10:30 a. m.

German Lutheran Church

German Lutheran church, Twelfth and Cameron avenue, the Rev. J. T. Gamm, pastor.—Sunday, 10 a. m., regular services, Sunday school at 9 a. m.

English Lutheran of the Holy Trinity

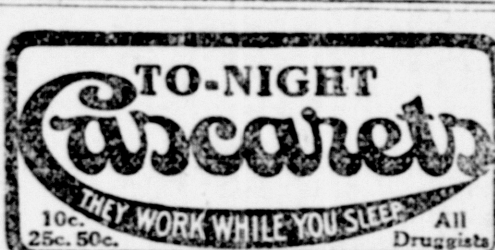
The English Lutheran Church of the Holy Trinity, West avenue and Ferry street. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Chief service at 10:45 a. m. Prof. Edw. Schmidt of Red Wing will conduct the services. Wednesday afternoon, the 13th, there will be Ladies' Aid and it will be entertained by several of the ladies. All are welcome.

St. Paul's Universalist Church

St. Paul's Universalist church, Eighth and Cass streets, Rev. J. S. Lowe, pastor. Regular preaching service at 10 a. m. Second sermon in the new series, Topic, "Has Universalism Justified Itself?" Sunday school at noon. New series of sermons promises to be very interesting and helpful. Special music.

West Ave. M. E. Church

West Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, West avenue near Jackson street. Morning worship, 10:30; subject, "The Lord of Harvest." Sun-



day school at 11:45 a. m. O. C. Bangsberg, superintendent. Evening laymen's service at 7 o'clock, led by Miss Helen Vance of the First church. Subject, "The Christian Sacrifice of Service." Wesley Male quartet will sing. All cordially invited to participate in the discussion, Friday, 8 p. m., at parsonage the study of Aliens or Americans.

First Presbyterian Church

First Presbyterian church, corner King and Sixth street, D. C. Jones, pastor. Morning services, 10:30. Sunday school, 12 m. Junior Endeavor, 3 p. m. Evening service, 7:30.

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It was better than the usual amateur production where prompting is necessary and where several of the thespians are affected with stage fright. This was not the case last night. The young men and girls all knew their parts and showed that they had worked hard and earnestly to make the production a success. The scenery for the occasion was made by Rev. Moller and Prof. Fuller. This will be donated to the school.

William Stevenson as John Perrybingle was a revelation to the audience and showed histrionic ability of merit. Miss Barbara Knothe had a difficult role to play but carried the burden well, her efforts being well received by the audience. Miss Helen Peterson as the blind girl again evinced histrionic ability of the unusual sort in the amateur high school actress. Her part was difficult but she gave the audience a good interpretation of it. Myron Locke as the old toy maker was good. His interpretation of an old man trying to deceive a blind daughter was an excellent one, and showed hard study of the character. Arthur Gelatt had a different role to interpret in Mr. Tackleton, but carried the part well. Emil Krause, the old man and the long lost son, was one of the interesting characters of the play. His part was interpreted well. Miss Grace Gesell as May Fielding was a delight to the audience. The cast which was selected from the entire school follows:

John Perrybingle, a carrier ...
William Stevenson
Dot, John's wife ... Barbara Knothe
Bertha, a blind girl ... Helen Peterson
Caleb Plummer, a toymaker ...

Myron Locke

Mr. Tackleton, a toy merchant ...

Arthur Gelatt

Edward Plummer ... Emil Krause

Mrs. Fielding, a neighbor ...

Martha Merman

May Fielding, her daughter ...

Grace Gesell

Tilly Slowboy, a maid ... Daisy Gage

Porter ... Chas. Weston

Spirits of the Cricket, Fairies, etc.

Scenes 1 and 3 was the interior

of the Perrybingle cottage and scene 2

was the abode of Caleb Plummer.

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tions, Pain in Heart, Side or

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Dizzy Spells, Swelling, Rheumatism, Throbbing in Ex-

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Sing and laugh and keep on a-keepin' on.

Work, work, work with hands, feet, legs and brain.

Honor thy father and thy mother.

The house insurgents are wondering whether it will be possible to revise the "keep on a-keepin' on" rule.

The Difference

In Chicago where the wheat pours in

The people ask: "Where have you bin?"

In Franklin's city, Phila., Penn.

They ask of you: "Where have you ben?"

While here, for reasons plainly seen, We say it thus: "Where have you bean?"

—Boston Transcript.

TO LEAVE TONIGHT ON EUROPEAN TRIP

Oscar Doering and George Warringer will leave on the midnight Burlington train tonight on their European trip, to be gone until September. This evening Mr. Doering will entertain a number of his friends at the Doering hotel, in the form of a farewell party. There will be lunch, refreshments and speeches.

Defeat generally leaves us with a clearer conscience than victory.

It seems to us that every day we hear of a new make of automobile.

The fellow who would go through fire and water for a girl must be pretty well insured.

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